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On the Cover: The simple presence of faculty born or educated abroad enhances the international atmosphere on campus. More than 10 percent of the LVC faculty were born outside the continental U.S., including: (front, l. to r.): Dr. Ivette Guzman-Zavala and Dr. Kathleen Tacelosky; (second row, l. to r.): Dr. Eric Fung, Dr. Jean-Marc Braem, and Dr. Matthew Sayers; (third row, l. to r.): Dr. Kshama Harpankar, Dr. Jörg Meindl, and Dr. Carmen Garcia Armero; (back row, l. to r.): Dr. Grant Taylor, Dr. Philip Benesch, and Dr. Noëlle Vahanian.

Inside Cover: April showers brought beautiful flowers to campus this spring.

Editor's Note: One of the students pictured on page 6 of the Spring 2013 Valley was identified incorrectly as the son of Shannon Brandt, LVC's assistant dean of student success and advising. The man pictured is actually not related.

Dear Alumni, Parents, and Friends,

This issue of The Valley highlights our commitment to an education that will prepare students for work and life in a global economy. Inside, you will read stories about classmates who live in all parts of the globe; faculty who were born abroad, have attended conferences and universities on several continents, and present research nationwide and internationally; and students conducting research and learning in very interesting places.

For example, this past summer, LVC students conducted research in Paraguay, Puerto Rico, and Hungary. They held internships from New York City to Maastricht, Netherlands. Faculty presented in China, South America, and Europe. One professor, a department chair no less, went back to school, this time in Canada, while others studied or conducted research in Austria, Czech Republic, England, France, and Peru.

These are exciting times at Lebanon Valley College. Our faculty and students are advancing programs and research that improve lives around the world. Our graduates thrive in their professions and communities. We live in a global economy and our graduates must be prepared to live and work in settings where diversity is the norm and where cultural understanding is an essential attribute.

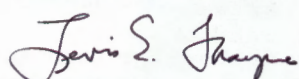
The trustees have established ambitious goals for the College and for me as our new president. Among those goals are the following: to attract the brightest students from diverse backgrounds, to gain recognition for the accomplishments of our alumni, faculty, and students, to strengthen a culture of innovation, and to further our mission of educating tomorrow's leaders while making vital contributions to scholarship and civic engagement.

A week or so after my inauguration in April, I received a congratulatory letter from Sonia Barlet '15, a student who was studying in Barcelona, Spain. Sonia is a triple major in actuarial science, mathematics, and Spanish. She took the time to write me a congratulatory letter about my appointment and to affirm the strengths of our learning community. "I can understand why you decided to come to LVC," she wrote, "it's a welcoming community, boasts a beautiful campus, and possesses a strong academic reputation in this area." Sonia is an exceptionally accomplished student and an advocate for her College wherever she goes.

Without question, we are certainly well known and respected in our region. With the assistance of our alumni, parents, and friends, the College will continue to expand the geography of those who know us well. By expanding the global reach of our students, faculty, and alumni we can also expand the cultural geography of everyone connected to Lebanon Valley.

I know you will enjoy the stories that Tom Hanrahan chose for this issue. Many more stories and photographs that the marketing and communications staff selected can be found at www.lvc.edu/GlobalNetwork.

Warmest regards,



Dr. Lewis E. Thayne, President

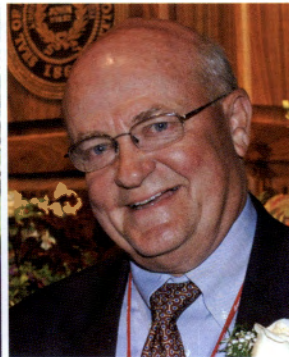


Six Appointed to Board; Five Retire With Combined Six Decades of Service

Wesley "Wes" T. Dellinger '75, P'05, chair of the Lebanon Valley College Board of Trustees, announced the retirement of a trio of trustees, the transition of faculty and student delegates to and from the board, and the appointment of six new trustees at the board's May meeting. **George M. Reider Jr. '63**, **Stephen H. Roberts '65**, and **Dr. Albertine "Tina" P. Washington H'91, P'86** retired together after all joined the board in 1995.



George M. Reider Jr. '63



Stephen H. Roberts '65



*Dr. Albertine "Tina" P.
Washington H'91, P'86*

Reider was a member of the board's Executive Committee (vice chair), Benefits Subcommittee, Finance and Investment Committee (vice chair), and Risk Management Subcommittee (chair). A former insurance commissioner for the State of Connecticut, Reider received an LVC Alumni Citation in 1995 and the Distinguished Alumnus Award in 2001.

Reider was an executive with Aetna Inc., an adjunct professor at the University of Connecticut Graduate Business Learning Center, and an adjunct professor at the Fordham University School of Law. A past president of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners, Reider is the founder and owner of George Reider Consulting.

Reider and his wife, **Carol**, are ardent supporters of the College. They have provided leadership and financial support for several campus building and renovation projects. He graduated with degrees in business administration and economics.

Roberts, president and chief executive officer of Echo Data Services, Inc., has served his alma mater as chair of the board's Advancement Committee. He was also vice chair of the Marketing and Strategic Planning committees, and served on the Executive Committee.

Roberts was at the forefront of college marketing and branding, prompting LVC to promote its strengths publicly long before it was considered appropriate for educational institutions. He was a member and captain of the College's inaugural golf team and also played tennis for LVC. Roberts graduated with a degree in economics.

A former president of the Alumni Association in the 1990s, Roberts was honored by the College in 2000 as the recipient of an Alumni Citation and in 2005 with the

Distinguished Alumnus Award. He and his wife, **Janet Gessner Roberts '68**, are longtime benefactors of the College. Their generosity and volunteer support have been recognized in various campus buildings.

Washington served on the board's Academic/Student Affairs and Enrollment Committee, as well as on the Trusteeship Committee. She is also a member of the College's Diversity Action Committee and will remain active in this role.

A lifelong activist and educator, Washington graduated from Dillard University in New Orleans with a bachelor's degree in elementary education, and later earned her reading specialist certification from The Pennsylvania State University.

Washington was the first African-American to serve as a teacher in any public school in Lebanon County (1963–1969) and was named Pennsylvania's Teacher of the Year in 1991. In 2011, she was inducted into the Lebanon County Commission for Women Hall of Fame, and was honored with The Spirit of Dr. Martin Luther King Legacy Award from The Interdenominational Ministers Conference of Greater Harrisburg.

She received an honorary doctorate of pedagogy from the College in 1991 and in 2003 received the June Herr Educator of the Year Award. Washington is married to **Leonard Washington Jr.**, and their daughter, **Tracy Alana Washington-Felton '86**, is an LVC graduate. Their generosity and volunteer support have been recognized throughout campus.

Dr. Renee Lapp Norris, associate professor of music at LVC, completed her three-year term as a faculty

representative on the board. Norris served as a member of the board's Strategic Planning Committee and Advancement Committee, and played an integral part in the music performed during the week of the inauguration of **Dr. Lewis E. Thayne**, LVC's 18th president.

Reneé Fritz '13, an economics major, completed her two-year term as a student representative on the board. During her tenure, she served on the Academic/Student Affairs and Enrollment Committee as well as on the Marketing Committee. Fritz was a star player and two-time captain of the College's nationally ranked women's basketball team.

Dellinger also announced the appointment of **Dr. Jeanne Donlevy Arnold H'08**, **Susan Manbeck Corbett '72**, **M. Louise Hackman Hess '78**, **Karen A. Lewis Schmitt '80**, **Dr. Ken Yarnall**, and **Katheryn O'Hara '15** to serve on the College's board effective July 1, 2013.

A native of Rhode Island, Arnold is a graduate of Rhode Island Hospital School of Nursing and holds a bachelor's degree from St. Joseph College in Maine, where she was also a master's candidate in health services administration.

Arnold has held various administrative positions in health care, including assistant director of nursing at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster; director of nursing and chief operating officer at Ephrata Community Hospital; and chief operating officer at Community General Hospital, Reading. She retired from her medical career as senior vice president for patient care services at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lebanon. Arnold received an honorary doctorate of humane letters from LVC in 2008. In 2007, the College presented her its Founders Day Award.

Susan Manbeck Corbett became the 44th First Lady of Pennsylvania when her husband, **The Honorable Tom Corbett '71**, was sworn in as Governor of Pennsylvania on Jan. 18, 2011.

In 1990, First Lady Corbett became a special projects manager for the president's office at Carnegie Museums and the director's office of the Carnegie Library in Pittsburgh. She served as assistant producer then executive director of Pittsburgh Arts and Lectures. From 2006 to 2010, Corbett served as vice president for programs and development for the Gettysburg Foundation.

She is currently chair of the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, a trustee of Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh, an ex-officio member of the Philadelphia Museum of Art's board of trustees, and also a commissioner of the Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission. Corbett also serves as the honorary chair of the Pennsylvania Breast Cancer Coalition's annual conference.

Hess graduated from LVC with a degree in chemistry and later married **Kenneth E. Hess**. She began her career

at Lancaster Laboratories as an analytical chemist and eventually became director of quality assurance. There, Hess was responsible for regulatory affairs, laboratory accreditation, internal auditing, and training. She is retired from Lancaster Laboratories and serves as an independent quality assurance consultant.

Hess previously served on LVC's Alumni Council and the Science Initiative Committee. Several of Hess's family members also graduated from the College, including her mother, **Elaine Hackman '52**. Elaine Hackman is a trustee *emerita* of LVC's board, having served as an active member of the board from 1982 until 1999.

Schmitt received her degree in actuarial science from LVC and her master of business administration degree from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania.

In 1986, Schmitt earned the designation of Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society (FCAS). In 1989, she was named vice president of American Re-Insurance in Princeton, N.J. In 1999, she was selected as senior vice president and chief actuary at GMAC RE. She became president of Maiden RE on Maiden's acquisition of GMAC RE, where she had been the executive vice president and chief operating officer.

Schmitt is president of Maiden RE, Maiden Reinsurance Company, and Maiden Specialty Insurance Company. She is a member of the American Academy of Actuaries, a fellow of the Canadian Institute of Actuaries, and a Chartered Financial Consultant. In 2011, she served as a *Lazin Resident* for the College's distinguished *Lazin Lecture Series*.

Yarnall, chair and associate professor of mathematical sciences at LVC, received his bachelor of science degree in mathematics from South Carolina College (the Honors College of the University of South Carolina) in 1986. He received his doctorate in mathematics from the University of South Carolina in 1992.

Yarnall is married to **Dr. Mary K. Pettice**, associate professor of digital communications at LVC. He is the advisor for the Association of Computing Machinery student chapter at the College and advises computer science majors.

O'Hara was named a student trustee for the 2013–2014 and 2014–2015 academic years. She is pursuing degrees in international studies and Spanish. O'Hara is a resident assistant and Valley Ambassador, and a member of the Bias Response Team, Diversity Action Committee, and Spanish Club.

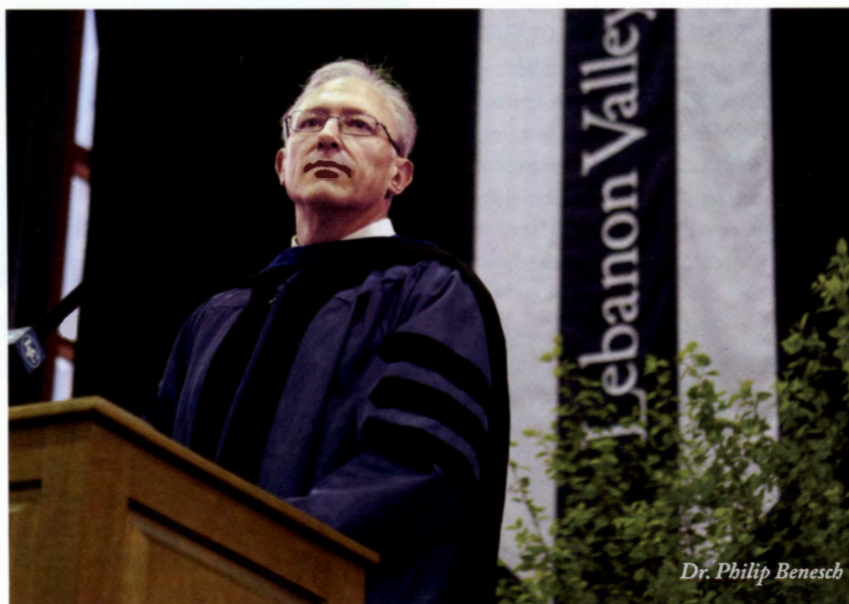
She has earned a Multicultural Fellowship, is on the College's Dean's List, and is a member of the College's track & field team. O'Hara is a resident of Harrisburg and a graduate of Central Dauphin East High School.

College Celebrates 144th Commencement

Lebanon Valley College awarded diplomas to 370 graduates on May 11. The 290 graduating seniors were joined by 26 doctor of physical therapy candidates, 31 master's degree candidates, and 23 students who graduated in Dec. 2012 and formally received their degrees.

By virtue of his receiving last year's top teaching honor, the Thomas Rhys Vickroy Award for Teaching, **Dr. Philip Benesch**, associate professor of political science and the pre-law advisor at LVC, was this year's Commencement speaker. He encouraged graduates to take hold of the courage instilled by a liberal arts education—courage in inquiry, courage in self-transformation, and courage in political engagement.

Dr. Anderson Marsh, associate professor of chemistry, was named this year's winner of the Thomas Rhys Vickroy Award for Teaching. Marsh, who has been awarded more than \$250,000 in grants from the National Science Foundation, was commended



Dr. Philip Benesch



Dr. Anderson Marsh



Margaret Susana McClean '13



Commencement was held in the LVC Gymnasium for the first time.

for his mentorship of LVC students. Since joining the faculty in 2005, he has published 11 peer-reviewed papers with 20 student co-authors; and authored or co-authored 62 presentations at national and regional

conferences—52 of which were presented by his students. Twelve of Marsh's research students have moved on to doctoral programs at top graduate schools. The American Chemical Society selected Marsh for the 2013 E. Emmet Reid Award as the top college chemistry professor in the Mid-Atlantic Region.

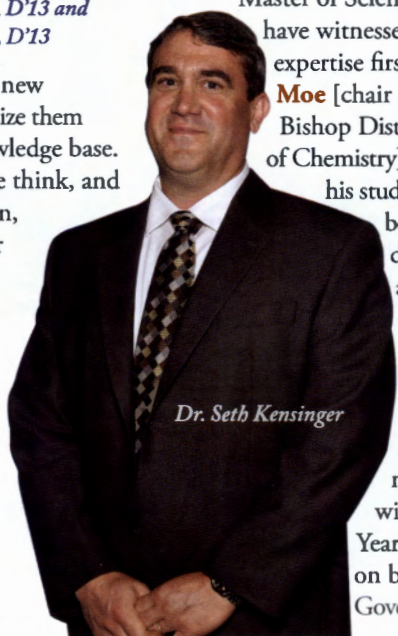
The top student award, the Howard Anthony Neidig Award, went to **Margaret Susana McClean '13**, a biology major from Stevensville, Md. McLean's advisor, **Dr. Deanna Dodson**, wrote that "in my 18 years as a professor, I can say without reservation that she is one of the three most intellectually gifted students I have encountered. She is extremely



Dr. Charles Johnson '11, D'13 and Dr. Kristin Kissling '11, D'13

quick to understand new concepts and synthesize them into her existing knowledge base. She always makes me think, and that is, in my opinion, an excellent indicator of future potential as a researcher and scientist."

Dr. Seth Kensinger, adjunct instructor at LVC, won the Nevelyn Knisley Award for Inspirational Teaching, which goes to part-time and adjunct members of



Dr. Seth Kensinger

the College faculty. Kensinger, who joined the faculty in 1996, teaches classes in chemistry and secondary education, and in LVC's Master of Science Education Program. According to **Dr. Michael Green**, vice president of academic affairs and dean of the faculty, "His colleagues in the chemistry, secondary education, and Master of Science Education programs have witnessed his teaching

expertise firsthand. **Dr. Owen Moe** [chair and Vernon and Doris Bishop Distinguished Professor of Chemistry] has commented that his students were among the best prepared that the department had seen and he has established positive, upbeat relationships with his students on campus."

Dr. Jeffrey Lovell, assistant professor of music, was honored with the Educator of the Year Award, which is voted on by the students. Student Government President **Mike**



Dr. Jeffrey Lovell



(l. to r.): Shane Miller '13, Dr. Deanna Dodson, professor of psychology, and Charlie Robinson '13

Mellon '13 presented the award, saying that Lovell is "known for his passion, both for music and for teaching, and for his ability to bring out the most in his students, whether it be in the classroom or behind the music stand." A student nominator added that "Blair Music Center has become Lovell's second home. He has literally spent hundreds of extra hours not only instructing, but refining his students' skills, pouring out his heart, and tirelessly pushing students to achieve more than they thought possible."

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Marquette '48 and Rhoades '95 Named to MAC Hall of Fame

Mike Rhoades '95 and the late **Dr. George Reynolds "Rinso" Marquette '48** were elected to the MAC Hall of Fame in 2013. The hall recognizes student-athletes, coaches, administrators, faculty, and staff who have demonstrated success in athletics, academics, and the community. Marquette and Rhoades join the late **Lou Sorrentino '54**, inducted with the inaugural class in 2012, as LVC representatives in the hall.

47 Named to MAC All-Century Teams

Forty-seven former LVC student-athletes were honored as members of their respective MAC All-Century teams during the most recent academic year. The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The various All-Century teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Please see the Class Notes section where each of the honorees is noted within his or her respective class year.

Baseball

Dylan Tamecki '16 was selected as D3baseball.com's Mid-Atlantic Rookie of the Year and as the CC's Rookie of the Year. Tamecki, a first baseman, also was a First-Team All-CC selection and is the first regional rookie of the year in program history.

Men's Golf

Jonathan Bensing '16 earned CC Rookie of the Year honors after finishing as the lowest-scoring freshman at the 2013 CC Men's Golf Championships. He also earned Second-Team All-CC honors. Jonathan is the son of **Dr. Ronald Bensing '76**.

Women's Golf

Playing in their first-ever MAC Championship, the inaugural LVC women's golf team earned an impressive second-place finish. The team shot a program record to achieve the feat and were led by **Mary Gardner '13** (fourth) and **Katie Wagner '13** (eighth), who each earned All-MAC honors.



Mary Gardner '13

Men's Lacrosse

Five players earned All-CC status after the team set a program record for wins in a season and made its first-ever appearance in the ECAC Mid-Atlantic semifinals. **Malik Pedroso '14** set LVC season records for goals, assists, and points; **Ryan Lanigan '14** set single-game and season records for caused turnovers; and **Mike Moll '14** set a new single-season goalie record with 172 saves.

Pedroso and Lanigan were named First-Team All-CC. Moll was joined on the second team by **Andrew Kruter '14**, and **Ian Schmid '13** was an honorable mention pick.



Hana Krechel '13

Women's Lacrosse

The team, led by **Hana Krechel '13**, captured the first trophy in its history, winning the 2013 ECAC Mid-Atlantic Championship, and set a new program record for wins in a season (13-5). Krechel, tournament MVP, finished her career as the third-leading scorer of all time in NCAA Division III. She also excelled academically,

being named a Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-District team member.

Krechel and teammate **Bailey Benz '15** were named First-Team All-CC. **Anna Pagels '15** and **Sara Vanderbogart '14** were named to the second team, and **Mel Modrick '14** was an honorable mention pick.



Sam Derr '14

Softball

Six members of the team were named All-CC as LVC won its first CC title since 2008 and advanced to the NCAA regional final in Ithaca, N.Y. **Sam Derr '14** was named CC Tournament MVP, CC Pitcher of the Year, and First-Team All-CC.

Derr was joined on the first team by **Tessa Deardorff '15**, **Allie Hartman '14**, and **Steff Secola '13**. **Katie Deardorff '14** was picked as a second-teamer, **Haley Neff '16** earned an honorable mention spot, and **Stacey Hollinger**, head coach, was named Coach of the Year for the fourth consecutive season.

Derr is the third consecutive LVC Pitcher of the Year winner, joining **Laura Snyder '11** and **Kristen Palmerio '12**, and set a program record for wins in a season (36–7–1). **Katie Deardorff** was named to the Capital One/CoSIDA Academic All-District Team for the second straight year.

Men's Tennis

Four Dutchmen, led by first-team selection **Ethan Grodzinski '13** and

Rookie of the Year **Cody Manmiller '16**, earned All-CC honors. **Sam Calabria '15** and **Ryan Weitzel '14** were named to the second team after guiding LVC to a CC tournament appearance. **Grodzinski** played No. 1 singles during his entire four-year career.

Women's Tennis

Christie Graf '14, **Amelia Capuano '14**, and **Lauren Fulmer '13** picked up All-CC awards, and **Joy Graeff** was named Coach of the Year. **Graf** was named to the first team, and **Capuano** and **Fulmer** to the second team, helping lead LVC to its sixth consecutive appearance in the CC championship match. **Fulmer** graduated as LVC's all-time doubles wins leader, second in combined wins, and third in singles victories.

Track & Field

Thanks to a major revitalization of Arnold Field and its track & field facilities, LVC hosted the MAC Track & Field Championships for the first time in the history of the event. LVC was selected to host the meet during the celebration of the MAC's 100th anniversary. The women's team finished second, and the men finished fourth.

Men's Track & Field

Jerome Duncan '13 finished his career as an All-American, placing seventh in the 110m hurdles at the NCAA Division II Track & Field Championships. He is the program's eighth All-American. **Duncan** was a six-time MAC Champion in the hurdles (three indoor and three outdoor) and a four-time ECAC outdoor medalist.

Joe Bennett '15 (high jump), **Duncan** (110m hurdles champion), **Kyle Fronk '15** (400m hurdles), **Michael Harnish '15** (800m run, 1,500m run), and **Darryl Sweeper '15** (110m hurdles) earned First-Team All-MAC distinction, as did members of the 4x100 and 4x400 relays. **Ian Bond '14** (400m hurdles),



Jerome Duncan '13

Kevin Greene '13 (decathlon), **Cody Lloyd '15** (decathlon), **Mike Pugh '15** (triple jump), and **Sweeper** (100m dash) earned second-team honors.

Women's Track & Field

Cynthia Adams '14, **D'16** won her third 800m title at the MAC Championship and added a 1,500m gold. Indoors and out, she is a five-time MAC Champion over 800 meters. **Adams** finished 11th at the NCAA Division III Track & Field Championships and was named a Third-Team Academic All-America by Capitol One/CoSIDA for track & field/cross country. **Melissa Weidler**, head coach of the men's and women's programs, repeated as MAC Coach of the Year.

Adams (800m run champion, 1,500m run champion), **Caitlin Bach '14** (shot put), **Alisha Farrell '13** (400m dash, high jump, long jump, pole vault), **Kristin Fitti-Hafer '14** (100m hurdles), **Taylor Gerchak '15** (triple jump), **Mariah Smolka '15** (shot put, hammer), and **Kelsey Wallen '13** (triple jump) earned First-Team All-MAC distinction, as did members of the 4x400 and 4x800 relays. **Fitti-Hafer** (100m dash, 200m dash), **Claire Hejnas '14** (javelin), **Alyssa Miller '14** (3,000m steeplechase), **Steph Monico '14** (heptathlon), **Kat O'Hara '15** (400m hurdles), **Kelsey Patrick '16** (1,500m run, 5,000m run), **Smolka** (javelin), **Cassie Wallen '13** (pole vault), and **Kelsey Wallen** (heptathlon) earned second-team honors, as did members of the 4x100 relay team.

Distinguished Awards Launch Alumni Weekend

Each year the Alumni Awards Committee selects outstanding alumni to receive its Distinguished Alumnus/na Award, Creative Achievement Award, Young Alumni Award, D. Clark Carmean Award in Admission, the June Herr Educator of the Year Award, and Alumni Citations. The most recent class of honorees was recognized in June during Alumni Weekend 2013.

Alumni Weekend 2013 attracted alumni and family members from the past seven decades for three days of fun, reuniting with old friends, reminiscing, and making new memories. The event-filled weekend began with the Alumni Awards Ceremony and Dinner at which seven notable alumni were recognized for their outstanding achievements. Visit www.lvc.edu/AW13 to view photos from the awards ceremony and the entire weekend.



Dr. Jerald G. Bachman '58 and Virginia Bachman

The Distinguished Alumnus Award, which recognizes significant service to one's profession, the community, and to the College, was awarded to **Dr. Jerald G. Bachman '58**. Bachman is a distinguished scientist and professor

at the University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research where, for nearly five decades, he has directed a program of research on youth and social issues. He has authored more than 100 articles in peer-reviewed journals, numerous chapters, and many other technical reports and monographs. Bachman, who has a master's and doctoral degree from the University of Pennsylvania, is a member of the Robert Wood Johnson



Judith Tulli, wife, and Nate Tulli, son, received the award on behalf of Dr. Dennis J. Tulli '69

Foundation's Coordinating Committee on Youth Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs Surveillance Initiatives.

The June Herr Educator of the Year Award, presented to a graduate who has made a positive impact on the field of education, was awarded to **Dr. Dennis J. Tulli '69**. With more than 40 years of service in public

education, including as superintendent of the Lebanon School District, Tulli has been a teacher, counselor, and administrator to many. A former varsity lacrosse and football player for the College, he has remained active in the LVC community, including serving as an adjunct professor in the Education Department. Tulli was inducted into LVC's Athletic Hall of Fame in 1998 and currently serves as chair of the Hall of Fame Selection Committee.



Angela C. Undercuffler '07

Angela C. Undercuffler '07 received the Young Alumni Award. This award recognizes an individual who graduated within the last 15 years for achievements in his or her profession, and provided significant service to the community or the College. Undercuffler is the residential community director of Dickinson College's Upper Class Quads, Greek Houses, and the Special Interest House Program. She was recently nominated for Supervisor of the Year. Before graduating from LVC with a bachelor's degree in English,

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Jayanne Hayward '01, director of alumni & parent engagement, and George Meyers '81

Undercuffler was instrumental in the creation of "The F-Word," a student-run organization that raises awareness of feminist issues by sponsoring activities and promoting discussions for the campus community.

LVC's Creative Achievement Award for distinguished creative accomplishments in the arts and journalism was presented to **George Meyers '81**. Recognized for acting in popular television shows such as "General Hospital," "Days of Our Lives," and "Monk," Meyers has had great success in his acting career in New York, Orlando, and Los Angeles.



Gerald "Jerry" S. Wingenroth '58

In addition to his television career, Meyers is also involved in portraying superheroes and villains in live stage shows throughout the world. Working

with Marvel Comics, he has toured in Istanbul, Dubai, and Abu Dhabi, as well as several cities in the United States.

Three LVC alumni were awarded an Alumni Citation for significant service in one of three areas: to one's profession, to the community, or to the College. The first recipient, **Gerald "Jerry" S. Wingenroth '58**, graduated with a degree in music education. Continuing his education, he eventually became head of the music program for the Conestoga Valley School District and served there until his retirement in 1989. His achievements within the music program and success in bringing the first professional "Music to Our Schools" program to the entire Intermediate Unit led to him being selected for inclusion in the 1975 edition of "Outstanding Educators of America."

In addition to his dedication to music education, Wingenroth has



Dr. Betty Criswell Hungerford '54, H'09, Alumni Awards Committee chair, and Dr. Jane C. Snyder '71

served his community for many years on the boards of directors of the Reading Musical Foundation, the Reading Symphony Orchestra, and the Berks Arts Council. He is a Lifetime Vickroy Donor and has endowed scholarships at LVC and Temple University.

Dr. Jane C. Snyder '71, the second Alumni Citation recipient, is currently president of the Boston Graduate

School of Psychoanalysis (BGSP). Snyder has held many positions at the school, including director of the Extension Division, coordinator of the Institute for the Study of Violence, dean of graduate studies, and provost.



Dr. Robert C. Lau '65

Snyder holds a bachelor's degree in English from LVC, a master's degree and certificate in psychoanalysis from BGSP, and a doctoral degree in psychology from Boston University. She continues to co-chair the Research Committee at BGSP and teaches, supervises, and conducts training analyses.

The final Alumni Citation recipient was **Dr. Robert C. Lau '65**. Head of the Music Department at LVC for 11 years, he is currently the organist and choirmaster at Mt. Calvary Episcopal Church in Camp Hill, a position he has held for more than 25 years. In addition, Lau has continued to work in higher education as an active adjunct faculty member in the School of Humanities at Penn State Harrisburg. He also teaches violin, viola, and composition privately.

Kirk Wise '79 and his "Jazz Me Band" performed during the reception and dinner. Kirk's father, the late **Merle Wise '53**, was an outstanding student and basketball player at LVC.

Steven P. O'Day Named Special Assistant to the President for Innovative Programming



Steven P. O'Day, J.D.

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a long-time higher-education administrator, was named to the newly created position of special assistant to the president for innovative programming at LVC. O'Day assumed his new responsibilities in July.

"I am very happy that Steve O'Day

has joined our leadership team at Lebanon Valley College," said **Dr. Lewis Evitts Thayne**, LVC president. "He is responsible for innovative, high-priority programs, the coordination and expansion of high-impact experiences, comprehensive post-graduate preparation, and other similar programs involving faculty and students."

"I am honored and excited to be a member of the LVC staff," said O'Day. "The College's faculty, students, and staff are truly remarkable. My few months of working with everyone have been rewarding as we build campus partnerships that enhance high-impact experience programs such as study abroad, short-term faculty-led study abroad programs, the Arnold Experiential Grant Program, internship programs, community-based learning programs, student leadership development, and summer student-faculty research."

O'Day became associate dean for

advisement at Franklin & Marshall College (F&M) in 1998, a position he held until 2001. At that time, he was named associate dean for student academic affairs until receiving appointment as senior associate dean of the college in 2007—a position he held throughout the remainder of his tenure at F&M.

In addition to serving on various F&M committees, O'Day also was an adjunct professor of business, organizations, and society since 2000 and was the pre-law/pre-professional advisor from 1998 through 2012.

O'Day earned a bachelor's degree in political science from Millersville University in 1985. He proceeded to Temple University School of Law in Philadelphia, where he was awarded a juris doctor degree in 1988. He pursued private law practice for a decade after graduation, specializing in civil litigation, business, corporate, real estate, domestic, criminal, and estate law.

Students Shine Through Community Service

For the fifth consecutive year, LVC students increased the number of community service hours they provided to the local region. Student groups, teams, and organizations reported 23,482 hours of service during the 2012–2013 academic year, equaling \$519,891 worth of service, mostly for the greater Lebanon community.

During this same period, 16 individual students earned sufficient community service hours to qualify for Gold Community Service Awards, having served more than 100 hours and having completed a multi-day residential service project.

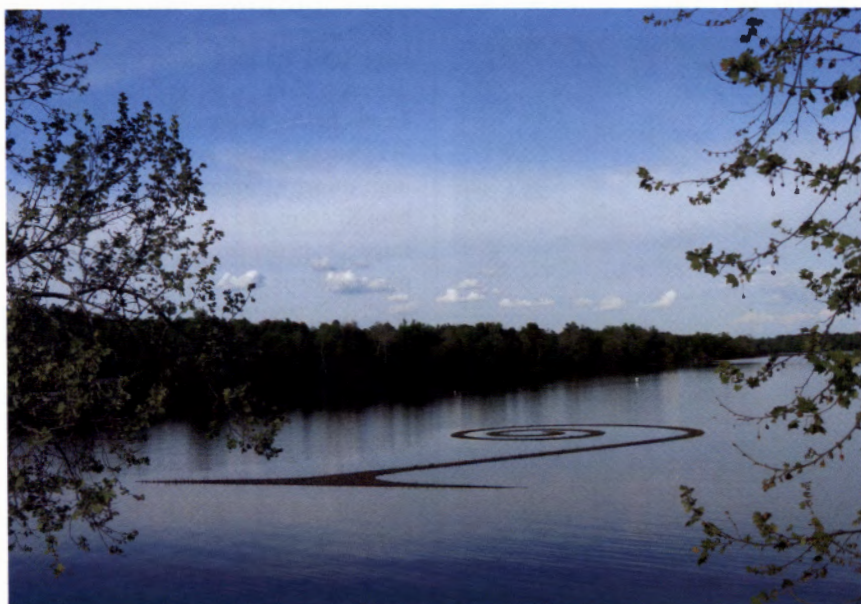
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Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery Showcases “American Algorists” to “A Tale of Two Cities”

The College's Suzanne H. Arnold Art Gallery will present six exhibitions during the 2013–2014 academic year. The season began with the current exhibition, “The American Algorists: Linear Sublime,” which runs through Oct. 20. The show, curated by **Dr. Grant Taylor**, LVC associate professor of art history, examines the work of a group of pioneering digital artists known as “The Algorists,” formed in the late 20th century.

Taylor also will host an inquiry with one of the featured Algorists, Manfred Mohr, as part of the College's 2013–2014 Colloquium, “Revolution.” Taylor will question Mohr about the controversy and protests surrounding his exhibition of the first one-man show of computer generated art at the Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris (Museum of Modern Art in Paris), held in 1971. “Minna Citron: The Uncharted Course from Realism to Abstraction” closes the semester with an exhibit running from Nov. 1 to Dec. 15.

Two shows, beginning with “A Tale of Two Cities: Eugene Atget's Paris and Berenice Abbott's New York,”



Stacy Levy, Spiral Wetland, April 2013, Walton Arts Center, Lake Fayetteville, Arkansas, will be part of the Stacy Levy: Collaborations with Nature exhibition from April 4 to May 18, 2014.

highlight the spring season. “A Tale of Two Cities” runs from Jan. 17 to March 16 and is followed by “Stacy Levy: Collaborations with Nature,” which is on exhibition from April 4 to May 18.

“The Annual Juried Art Exhibition,” June 6 to 22, and “Selections from the

Permanent Collection,” July 3 to Aug. 10, mark the summer 2014 Gallery series. The exhibitions are supported in part by the Friends of the Gallery. To become a Friend of the Gallery or to learn more about this year's shows, call 717-867-6445 or visit www.lvc.edu.

Chamber Choir Performs 22nd Annual Spring Concert

LVC's Chamber Choir, under the direction of **Dr. Mark Mecham**, chair and Clark and Edna Carmean Distinguished Professor of Music, performed their 22nd annual spring concert on April 30 in the Zimmerman Recital Hall of the Suzanne H. Arnold Gallery. The 20-voice chamber ensemble performed works from Renaissance madrigals and motets to vocal jazz arrangements. Highlights of the program included a new choral work by **Dr. Scott Eggert**, LVC professor emeritus of music, with the premiere of his “Alphabet Song,” and follow-up to 2012's setting of “This Old Man.”



Innovative Programming Leads to

GLOBAL



IMPACT

By Christine Brandt Little

From Annville To Zimbabwe—
LVC Alumni Are Making a
Global Impact

LVC graduates have been a globetrotting lot from the beginning, with many of them leaving Annville to begin careers and new lives throughout the United States and around the world. LVC alumni reside in all 50 U.S. states, Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia, and more than 30 countries. Here are just a few College graduates whose life journeys have taken them internationally.

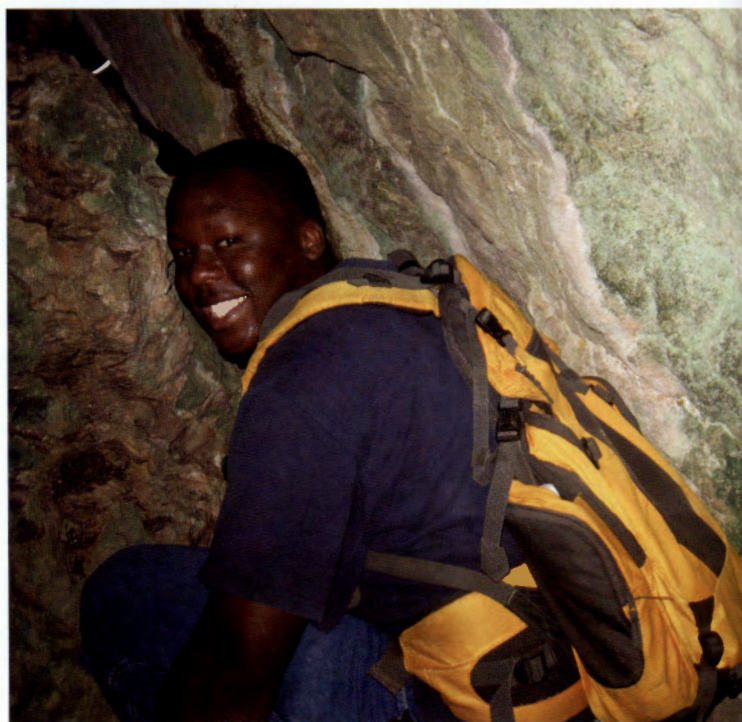
Serving Youth in the **Philippines**



A native of Zimbabwe, **Munyaradzi “Munya” Jakazi ’10** first came across LVC in his high school’s career library, in an issue of *American Colleges and Universities* magazine. Drawn to the College by its academic rigor and small-town setting, Jakazi was active in community service throughout his undergraduate career, working with Habitat for Humanity and the Lebanon Valley Education Partnership, among other groups, and joining the College’s spring 2008

service-learning trip to New Orleans to provide relief in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina.

“For most of my life I was involved in charitable activities, but LVC’s emphasis on community service definitely helped spur my desire to serve and make a positive difference in the world,” Jakazi said. The College was also responsible for opening the psychology major’s eyes to the value of international travel. “My study abroad experience in London whet my appetite for traveling and experiencing foreign cultures,” he said. Those two factors—a commitment to community service and an interest in foreign cultures—ultimately led Jakazi to the Peace Corps after graduation. Today, he’s serving as a youth development volunteer with the Peace Corps in the Philippines, where he coordinates extracurricular programs at a residential rehabilitation center for troubled youth.



Munyaradzi “Munya” Jakazi ’10

“Overall, my Peace Corps experience has been very fruitful from both a professional and personal standpoint,” Jakazi said. “Working in a different country with a different culture and a different way of doing things has increased my self-confidence, my independence, and my cultural awareness. It’s also improved my adaptability as I learn to deal with unfamiliar situations, and my communications skills as I seek to work effectively with my co-workers while at the same time learning a new language.”

After the Peace Corps, Jakazi plans to pursue a master’s degree in international development and ultimately work in the nonprofit sector providing opportunities for social mobility to people and communities in need.



Taking Care of Business in **Canada**



Canadian **Matt Becker '10** and Lebanon, Pa., native **Dr. Lauren Horst '09, D'11** met as students at LVC. Becker had come to the States to play hockey, and soon found his

way to Annville. "I thought LVC would give me a better education than other schools that were recruiting me at the time," he said.

The business administration major didn't find it hard to adapt to American college life. "There were other Canadians on the team, and most of the guys on the team were not from the area, so we were all in the same situation," Becker said. "You make friends quickly on a team, which made the transition easier."

For her part, Horst had never traveled to Canada before meeting Becker, and certainly never expected to live outside the U.S., but the couple decided to settle near Matt's family after graduation. "I actually always thought I'd move somewhere warmer," Horst admitted. "But you never know where life will take you."

The LVC health science/physical therapy major had a physical therapy job lined up in Canada six months before she received her doctorate in physical therapy in 2011. But getting her license was a little more complicated. "After Matt and I were married in February 2011, it took seven months to get permanent resident status in Canada," Horst said. "Then I had to have my education reviewed and approved before I could take the licensing exams here. I had to pass a written and a practical exam before I was allowed to practice unsupervised—but the D.P.T. Program at LVC prepared me well for both exams."

Today, Becker works as a health, safety, and environmental manager for the Mistras Group Inc., in Olds, Alberta, Canada, and runs Meridian Custom Builders, a home-building company, as well as his own contracting firm, Matt Becker Construction. Horst is a physical therapist with Olds Physical Therapy and Sports Rehabilitation.

Living in Canada has its advantages and disadvantages, Horst said. "It's really tough to be away from family and friends," she said. "But I love my job, and experiencing a different health care system has made me a better physical therapist. Living away from home pushes you outside your comfort zone and you end up meeting amazing new people and gaining new perspectives."



Dr. Lauren Horst '09, D'11 and Matt Becker '10

LVC Alumni around The Globe

Valley graduates live in at least 30 countries on five continents—that we know of. Here is the most recent list of alumni who live abroad. If we missed you, please contact **Jayanne Hayward '01**, director of alumni & parent engagement, at hayward@lvc.edu to update us and we'll gladly add you to the list; especially if you live in Antarctica or Australia!

Angola	France	Norway
Aruba	Georgia	Peru
Austria	Germany	Scotland
Bermuda	Iceland	Singapore
Canada	Japan	Spain
The Czech Republic	Lithuania	Sweden
China	Nepal	Switzerland
Columbia	The Netherlands	Thailand
England	Netherlands Antilles	West Indies
Estonia	Nigeria	Zimbabwe

Watching from a Distance in the **U.K.**



Michael Reidy '70 grew up in Worcester, Mass., and came to LVC because he liked its size and strong English and music departments. Today, Reidy lives in Kent, in southeast England. What led him to make the leap across the pond after graduation? "In 1970, my draft number was 16, so I knew that the military would play a role in my future," he explained. "I joined the U.S. Naval Reserves and served as a journalist aboard the U.S.S. John F. Kennedy from 1971 to 1973." In the Navy, Reidy had the



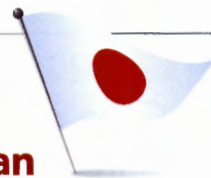
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opportunity to tour some of Europe, but not as much as he wanted to, so after earning a master's degree in English from Assumption College in Worcester, Mass., in 1974, he took a position at a boys' secondary school in England. From there, one position led to another, and today Reidy is the editorial director at Bespoke Publications Ltd., outside London.

"LVC always fostered the idea that our lives were ours to define, so the notion of moving abroad never seemed to be that exceptional," Reidy said, noting that the education he received in Annville positioned him well for working—and pursuing further education—abroad. Reidy went on to earn a post-graduate certificate in education from Cambridge University and a master's degree in philosophy of education from London University. "In fact, having a liberal arts education was a real advantage in that I felt I had a better grasp of a wider range of subject disciplines than my British-educated classmates," he said.

When he first went to England to teach school, Reidy thought he'd only be there for two years. Nearly 40 years later, he's glad he stayed. "Moving to England was—and continues to be—fascinating," he said.

Teaching English Education in **Japan**



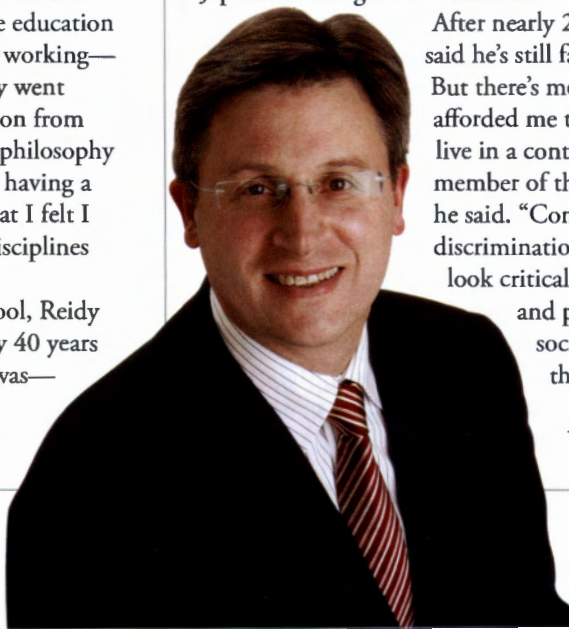
Robert Schalkoff '88 admitted he "had no interest in international work" when he came to Annville from his home in New Jersey to study music education—which is ironic, since today Schalkoff may well be the alumnus living furthest from LVC. He works in the field of international education: Schalkoff is professor of English education and director of international education at Yamaguchi Prefectural University in Yamaguchi Prefecture, Japan.

Schalkoff originally moved to Japan in 1989 to join his old high school sweetheart. The relationship didn't last, but Schalkoff's fascination with the country did, and he soon found a niche teaching English to Japanese students. "I found that I really enjoyed English education," he said. "I've taught and/or been a teacher trainer in nearly every context you can imagine—private schools, public schools, prestigious private academies, and, since 1996, higher education." Over the years, he has gone on to earn a master's degree in Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), and is a doctoral candidate in adult and higher education at Northern Illinois University.

"LVC provided me with a really solid liberal arts education and a number of opportunities to pursue new interests in a supportive environment—I think I developed and honed my sense of adventure there," he said. "LVC also provided me the opportunity to exercise my critical thinking skills and to encounter and reflect on, rather than judge, ideas that were at times very different than my own. These are skills that I use daily as I interact with my Japanese colleagues and students."

After nearly 25 years, Schalkoff said he's still fascinated by Japan. But there's more: "Japan has also afforded me the opportunity to live in a context where I'm not a member of the dominant culture," he said. "Confronting prejudice and discrimination has allowed me to look critically at my own prejudices and privileged position in society as a member of the dominant culture in

Robert Schalkoff '88





the U.S. Living in another culture has also brought me a greater and deeper understanding of my own values and beliefs as an American. At the same time, living here has taught me that there are always more than two perspectives on any given subject, and that I have to respect different views even if I don't always agree with or embrace them."

Not surprisingly for a director of international education, Schalkoff is a strong proponent of study abroad. "I fully and strongly believe in the power and transformational possibilities of international experiences for college students," he said. "International competencies are not only imperative in an increasingly globalized work market, they enrich our lives in ways we can only come to understand years after these experiences are over. Moreover, the friends that we make through these experiences connect us to whatever part of the world we visit and make it that much harder to enter into conflicts or war with those people."

Building Churches in **Peru**



Deborah Horst McIntosh '76 met her husband after she graduated from LVC and entered seminary. "We both felt a calling to do urban church work internationally," she said. "I studied Spanish in school, and the language and culture fascinated me, so we eventually ended up in Lima." The couple first moved there in 1983 to work in local communities to begin new churches.

"We've built a life for ourselves here, including raising our three children—one of whom is an adopted Peruvian," she said.

At LVC, McIntosh majored in music education, a degree she put to good use teaching music in her daughter's international school and training worship groups in churches. In 2008, she earned a master's degree in clinical psychology. "The need in the churches here for an informed psychology compatible with a Christian worldview is great," she said. "I now run a counseling center at our church and teach counseling courses in a local seminary."

The years in Peru have been interesting, McIntosh said. "We've lived here through years of terrorism, the existence of extreme poverty, and runaway inflation in the 80s, to the current polar opposite of a building boom, growing

LVC Study Abroad Programs

The College offers students full-semester programs in 13 countries each year as well as several short-term international programs. The current full-semester programs are:

Argentina (Buenos Aires)
Australia (Melbourne)
China (Beijing)
The Dominican Republic (Santiago and Santo Domingo)
England (Cambridge and London)
France (Montpellier)
Germany (Berlin and Wurzburg)
Greece (Athens)
Italy (Perugia)
The Netherlands (Maastricht)
New Zealand (Hamilton)
Northern Ireland (Belfast)
Spain (Vallodolid)



Deborah Horst McIntosh '76 (far left) at her church in Peru

foreign investment, a flavorful cuisine gaining international notoriety, and a heretofore unseen emergence of a large middle class," she said. "It's been a fascinating ride!"

McIntosh, who grew up in rural Lancaster County, treasures the opportunity she's had to experience another culture deeply. "There's nothing like living cross-culturally to broaden your horizons and challenge your perspectives on life," she said. "I value that—not only for us, but for our children, who are working in or studying professions in which being bilingual and bicultural is a definite asset."

International Consulting in **France**



Perhaps because of her busy life as an undergraduate at LVC—she was a student trustee, student government participant, member of the College Democrats, sister in the Alpha Sigma Tau sorority, and cheerleader, among other roles—

Beth Paul Saunier, Esq., '98 never got around to studying abroad while at LVC, an omission she still regrets. Nevertheless, she believes her experiences

as a political science major at the College prepared her well for her life today—the mother of two, the wife of French national Maël Saunier, whom she met in law school, and the owner of the international tax consulting firm, BPS Tax Services, in Paris, France. “I would say the general liberal arts approach to education is what prepared me the most,” she said. “I learned how to understand other ideas and ways of thinking and reconcile

them with my own. In some cases, it's meant that I can appreciate another way of thinking and realize that it may be better—a skill which is essential to truly integrate into a foreign society and adapt to a foreign culture. In other cases, it's made me realize the beauty of my own culture, which is also valuable because I cannot—and don't want to—change the core of my American being.”

Saunier admitted that she never thought her life would “involve a detour to France,” as she put it. But she's found it to be a very positive and enriching adventure: “The funny thing about living abroad for an extended period of time is that it causes you to feel like you're a bit of a world citizen who does not totally fit in anywhere,” she said. “At times, I ache to be in America, but then I think if I was back in the States I'd no longer have the challenges



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of speaking a foreign language daily and would miss the way the French state seems to support noble causes—such as subsidized child care, affordable higher education, and some aspects of the arts—better than the American government.” Saunier also appreciates constant exposure to new ideas and internationally oriented people, the relative ease of raising and schooling her children to be bilingual, and living in a culture that supports healthy work-life balance and provides high-quality universal health care.



Beth Paul Saunier, Esq., '98

LVC Faculty Born Outside the Continental U.S.

More than 10 percent (12 of 103) of the LVC faculty were born outside the continental U.S.

Australia—Dr. Grant Taylor, associate professor of art history

England—Dr. Philip Benesch, associate professor of political science

France—Dr. Nöelle Vahanian, associate professor of philosophy, and Dr. Jean-Marc Braem, associate professor of French

Germany—Dr. Kathleen Tacelosky, chair of languages and associate professor of Spanish; and Dr. Jörg Meindl, assistant professor of German

China—Dr. Eric Fung, associate professor of music

India—Dr. Kshama Harpankar, assistant professor of economics

Japan—Dr. Matthew Sayers, associate professor of religion

Peru—Dr. Gabriela McEvoy, assistant professor of Spanish

Puerto Rico—Dr. Ivette Guzman-Zavala, associate professor of Spanish

Spain—Dr. Carmen Garcia Armero, assistant professor of Spanish



Building Global Computing in The U.K.



"I really wasn't following a career or a dream," said **Douglas Mancini '91** of his move to Europe after graduating from the Valley. "I knew I wanted to leave the East Coast of the U.S., and an opportunity came up to move to the Netherlands, and I decided that it was a good time in my life

to make a big change." Mancini packed his belongings in a shipping container and moved to the Netherlands, where he started a classic car and motorcycle importation business. After 12 years he moved to the U.K., worked his way into the enterprise computing sector, and today is a vice president at Oracle Corporation overseeing key accounts in Europe, the Middle East, and Africa.

The LVC management major is frank about career strategies for American graduates who'd like to live abroad. "If I was going to give anybody any career advice right now, I'd say, learn to speak Cantonese," he said. "I'd also say, learn the African cultures and the African geography, because Africa's probably going to be among the fastest growing markets in a few years. Eastern Europe is also interesting—there's a talent search going on right now in eastern Europe for young executives with some experience."

Mancini emphasized that being truly fluent in another language is a key skill. "Language skills are more recognized than they were before because the job market is tighter," he said. "You still get places, even in France, Spain, and Italy, where people don't speak English enough to hold a business meeting in English."

He also suggested that graduates who'd like to work abroad build their résumés at home first, to gain skills and experience that make them stand out from other applicants. "Make a mark in a chosen industry, then make your move to Europe," he suggested. "European companies aren't looking for recent graduates—they're not even looking for graduates in their homeland, so they're certainly not going to import them."

On the bright side, Mancini said, it's probably no harder to get a job in Europe than in the U.S. in the current job market. "Like everything else, it's about differentiating yourself from the other candidates. Make yourself really relevant and try to solve the problems of the person who's hiring you. The good candidates are still getting good jobs, but more than ever people have to be willing to work at the



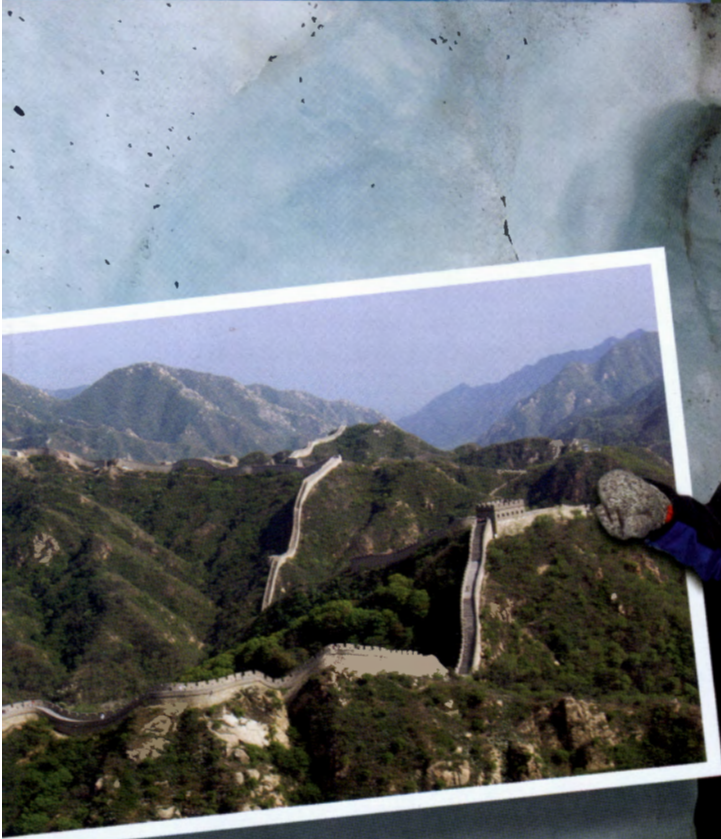
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lower levels longer before they move up."

Mancini, who grew up in New York, is somewhat surprised to find himself living in Europe. "People who knew me at LVC would have voted me the least likely to live off the East Coast," he said. "It's taken me a few years living in Europe to fully appreciate it, but now I'd never move back to the U.S." Mancini values the straightforwardness he finds in European culture. "People here are genuine," he said. "They're not phony. That goes in business as well—people don't sugarcoat things. They say what they mean, and if they make a commitment, they tend to deliver."

AROUND THE WORLD IN **NUMEROUS** WAYS





Caring for Creatures Great and Small in the U.K.



Laura Davidson '98 grew up in Harrisburg and, ironically, chose LVC because it was close to home—but it didn't take long for the biology major to discover an interest in world travel.

"During my freshman year, I remember going to a talk about

study-abroad opportunities. My boyfriend at the time, also an LVC student, decided to study abroad in Cologne, Germany, and that inspired me to apply to study abroad also." Davidson subsequently spent the fall semester of

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her sophomore year at Anglia Polytechnic University in Cambridge, England, crediting **Dr. Arthur Ford '59**, then professor and chair of English and dean of international programs, with giving her the courage to take that first step. "He was always so passionate about Cambridge, and his enthusiasm was infectious," she said.

Despite her initial misgivings about traveling so far from home for an entire semester, Davidson had a great time. "My eyes were opened up to the world outside the U.S. and I quickly caught the bug for traveling," she said. "While in the U.K. for that semester, I had the opportunity to visit Paris, London, and Holland. The whole experience gave me independence and confidence, and I believe it truly was a life-changing experience for me. It broadened my horizons and opened doors I never even knew were there. I formed friendships that endure to this day and have shaped the person I have become."

Davidson ultimately decided to apply to veterinary school in the U.K. after graduation, enrolling in the Royal Veterinary College in London in 1999. "I had all intentions to move back to the U.S. when my course was completed, but 13 years later, I'm happily still living in the U.K." Davidson now holds dual British-U.S. citizenships

and works as a veterinary surgeon in Nottingham, England. She and her partner Daniel, a British citizen, have a three-year-old daughter.

"I never envisioned my life taking this course, but I know that ultimately it is all thanks to my time at LVC and the doors that study abroad experience opened for me," she said. "There was a very good international community there, and this kept my passion for traveling and experiencing new cultures alive."

Today, Davidson feels well settled into her life abroad. "I've found that the U.K. has become my home, as I've spent most of my adult life here," she said. "It's strange, but I sometimes feel like a foreigner when I return to the U.S., and I get homesick for the U.K."

"I never anticipated how things would work out when I went on that three-month study abroad all those years ago," she continued. "Living here has so many advantages. I've been able to travel all around Europe, as it's only on our doorstep, and further afield to Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, Morocco, and Botswana, to name a few."

"Living in the U.K. has given me an insight into a different way of life, different cultures and values than I grew up with," she added. "I find the pace of life here much more laid back than in the U.S., and I'm very grateful for things such as the National Health Service, a minimum holiday allowance of four weeks, and nine months maternity leave—it just helps create a better work-life balance for me."



*Jenna Bogovich '14
in London*



International Flair: Equipping Students to be Citizens of the World

In this era of globalization, where disparate cultures increasingly intermingle in the marketplace of products and ideas, successful college graduates must be adept at negotiating a fluid, increasingly multicultural world. Today, perhaps more than ever, instilling this strong cross-cultural fluency is one of the great responsibilities of our nation's colleges and universities. At Lebanon Valley College, these responsibilities are central to the College's long-held mission of preparing students to live and work in a diverse and changing world.

Because of its responsive and sophisticated approach, LVC attracts a rich variety of international opportunities and perspectives to its decidedly bucolic campus. The College's study abroad programs, already diverse and plentiful, continue to grow in number, duration, and location. Its international studies program enables students to focus on global affairs and politics in a formal, interdisciplinary way. Classes focusing on the European Union and international business, and internship opportunities at the World Trade Center of Harrisburg, provide further opportunities for students to expand their knowledge of our increasingly interdependent world. Less formally, the simple presence of faculty born or educated abroad enhances the international atmosphere on campus, coloring students' daily experience and expanding their horizons—as do opportunities to travel and conduct research with these faculty members.

Majoring in the Entire Globe: LVC's International Studies Program

Visiting a foreign country is an excellent way to begin developing a global perspective, but some LVC students opt to focus their entire undergraduate careers on expanding their intercultural competence. To that end, **Dr. Christopher Dolan**, associate professor of political science, launched the College's international studies major in 2010. "We wanted to develop a globally oriented, interdisciplinary academic program that would serve as a major for students," said Dolan, who now directs the program. "Studying the world is absolutely essential—it always has been. But what's really exciting about the program is its emphasis on beyond-the-classroom assignments

where students can gain hands-on skills." International studies majors are required to participate in at least one study-abroad experience, study a foreign language to an advanced level, and engage in undergraduate research or an internship in addition to their designated coursework. Only four years after being instituted, the program already has become quite popular, approaching 30 majors on campus this fall.

As Dolan designed the major, he spent two years researching how other colleges organized their programs. "I noticed that many of them just required students to take a certain number of core courses and elective courses," he said. "Our program is unique because students can do original research as co-authors with a professor. It emphasizes teamwork, communication, and having to work with different kinds of people—that's been an eye-opening experience for students."

The research component presents unique opportunities for undergraduates. "I've had a lot of students go to academic conferences to present research, both with me and on their own," Dolan noted. Research projects focus on global issues such as poverty, human rights, and the international economy. Last fall, **Katheryn O'Hara '15** was one of four international studies majors to participate in undergraduate research in partnership with Dolan. They presented their research at the International Studies Association Northeast Conference in Maryland last November, presenting before a panel of professionals and experts.

"The International Studies Program has been life-changing for me," O'Hara said. "Dr. Dolan is an inspirational mentor who pushes all his students to think bigger and broader. He's challenged me to be innovative, pensive, to ask questions, and never be satisfied with the status quo. My education within this program has been the perfect example of the high-impact learning that our College strives to provide."

Dolan described his experiences designing LVC's International Studies Program in "From Scratch: Designing and Implementing a New International Studies Program at a Small College," published in 2011 in the academic journal *International Studies Perspectives*.

"It's the relationship between study abroad, research, and the internship that is really aiding students in the employment market and for graduate school applications too," he said. LVC's international studies majors have gone on to graduate programs at American University, the New School, and the University of San Francisco as well as work with organizations as far abroad as Kosovo, China, and the Netherlands.

A Multicultural Citizen of an Interconnected World

It's safe to say that LVC students come to the College for many reasons, but an urban campus is not one of them. But nestled in a town in a rural region of a largely rural state, LVC nevertheless brings together a rich and broad variety of high-impact multicultural experiences and opportunities that equip graduates for success in a deeply interconnected world. From study abroad to internationally oriented academic programming to a campus that's home to a growing population of international professors and a faculty deeply appreciative of diversity, LVC embodies the flexible, informed multicultural competence it's committed to instilling in its students.

Please visit www.lvc.edu/GlobalNetwork to read more about the current international influence on campus. There, you can read the following stories about the current emphasis on international education at the College, and the roots of that growth.

- "Hosting the World: International Students at LVC:" **Dr. John A. Synodinos H'96** and **Dr. Arthur Ford '59**
- "Departures from Annville: Study Abroad at LVC:" **Jill Russell** and **Brian Kaniuka '14**
- "LVC Expands Study Abroad Opportunities for All Majors"
- "Course-embedded Study Abroad Broadens Impact:" **Dr. Matthew Sayers**
- "Honing Life Skills Through Travel:" **Tim Arthun '10**
- "Exploring the Dynamics of the European Union:" **Dr. Diane Johnson** and **Dr. Philip Benesch**
- "Facilitating Global Business Partnerships with the World Trade Center:" **Treva Clark** and **Cody Richard '14**
- "Bringing an International Perspective to the Head of the Class:" **Dr. Kathleen Tacelosky** and **Dr. Eric Fung**
- "When Faculty Study Abroad:" **Dr. Jeff Robbins**, **Michael Ardoline '10**, **Dr. Tim Peelen**, **Tai Nguyen '14**, and **Rachel Denny '14**
- "Student Summer Research Abroad:" **Cameron Venable '14**, **Rachel Denny '14**, and **Tai Nguyen '14**
- "Helping Students Access the World:" **Keo Oura Kounalavong-Sabath**
- "Supporting Students Far from Home:" **Venus Ricks**

Countries in Which LVC Faculty Have Lived, Taught, Presented, Attended Conferences or Colleges, or Conducted Research

Australia	Greece	Portugal
Austria	India	Puerto Rico
Belgium	Ireland	Russia
Canada	Israel	Spain
China	Italy	South Africa
Costa Rica	Japan	Sweden
Cuba	Mexico	Switzerland
Cyprus	The Netherlands	Taiwan
England	New Zealand	Tunisia
Finland	Nicaragua	Turkey
France	Norway	Virgin Islands
Germany	Peru	

- "Exploring the World One Word at a Time:" **Dr. Kathleen Tacelosky**
- "Bringing Her Own Multicultural Awareness to Campus:" **Katheryn O'Hara '15**
- "Three Countries, Two Continents, One Goalie:" **Matthew Turner '13, D'15**
- "Departures from Annville:" Study Abroad at LVC: **Jill Russell**
- "Learning the Business of International Trade:" **Cody Richard '14**
- "Exploring the World Through Song:" **Dr. Rebecca Lister** and **Cassandra Diaz '14**

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Births

David R. Smith II '98 and his wife, Heather, welcomed twins, David and Addyson, into their family Oct. 7, 2011. They join big brothers Tyler and Allister.

Randy Kostelac '99 and his wife, **Melissa Zinn Kostelac '00**, welcomed a daughter, Lyla Sue, into their family May 5. She joins big brothers Colby, 6, and Landon, 3.



Tegan Christine Edgcomb

Jenah Macdonald Edgcomb '02 and **Mat Edgcomb '02** welcomed a daughter, Tegan Christine, into their family Jan. 12.

Kimberly Richardson Runkle '03 and her husband, Jeffrey Alan, welcomed a daughter, Evelyn Faith, into their family Aug. 9, 2011.

Kathleen Oltman Schreier '04 and **Chad Schreier '05, M'09** welcomed a daughter, Piper Arlene, into their family March 17.

Carolina Russo-Holding '05 and **Sonny Holding '06** welcomed a son, Antonio



Piper Arlene Schreier

Jose, into their family May 9. Carolina is a business development specialist for Latin America with Fenner Drives in Manheim.

Stephen Salisbury '08 and his wife, Heather, welcomed a daughter, Johanna Lynn, into their family May 11, 2012. **The Rev. Charles Salisbury '81** and **Victoria "Vicky" Shaw Salisbury '82** are the proud grandparents.

Yahya McIntyre '13 is the proud father of a daughter, Nadia Rianne, born June 2. He is an advocate with the Lebanon County Youth Advocacy Program in Lebanon.

Weddings

Steven Carpenter '93 and **Derrie Paquette** exchanged wedding vows March 16 in Grove City. **Susan Duff '94**, **Wembi Dimandja '94**, **Kristine Kuhn Butz '94**, **Timothy Butz '93**, **Jennifer Bragunier Williams '92**, **Roy Williams '92**, and **Cathy Connors Kostick '94** were in attendance. Steven is the hiring and training manager at Prime Communication.

Scott W. Radcliffe '00 and **Tracy Weidman** exchanged wedding vows April 14, 2012, in West Chester. **Michael Howard '00** served as a groomsman. The couple first met as a result of sharing the same college internship at the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection in different years, and later became close friends while working together at Wyeth Pharmaceuticals. Scott received his master's degree in cell and molecular biology from Villanova University in 2013.



Sara G. Hodon '02 and Frank Karnish

Sara G. Hodon '02 and **Frank Karnish** exchanged wedding vows in Pensacola, Fla., March 15. **Gene Kelly '01** and **Cheryl Lukeski Ambruch '01** attended their April reception. Sara is an associate editor at Sigma Financial in Allentown and also works as a freelance writer.

Mandy Louise Warner '07 and **Kevin Uhland Jr. '08** exchanged wedding vows May 5, 2012, in York County. They welcomed a daughter, Nancy, into their family Feb. 3. Mandy is a manager and veterinary assistant with the Annville-Cleona Veterinary Associates.

Emily Berger '10 and **Brian Dempsey '10** exchanged wedding vows March 9 in Pittsgrove, N.J. **Kate Sereno '10** served as maid of honor. **Laura Evelhoch Gunther '08**, **Claire Styer '10**, **J.T. Fredlund '10**, and **Carmen Forte '10** were in the bridal party.



(l. to r.): Jessica Riley '12, Kara Eberly '12, Nicole Daub '12, Tino Gonzalez, Kelsea Lamphere Gonzalez '12, Becky Firestone, Danielle Hess '12, and Jordan Fitting '11

Gregory Boccuti '09, Aaron Glasbrenner '11, Jaclyn Kain '10, Kate Touhey '10, Michael Schoch '10, Matt Donley '10, Lauren Train Orndorf '10, Patrick Orndorf '10, Vanessa Stoudt '10, Kyle Romain '10, Charlie Hopta '08, Ryan Burke '10, Rob Bell '08, Dr. Allison "Allie" Weigand Kudrak '09, Mike Kudrak '09, Gregory Guenther '08, Jeffrey Bush '11, Zach Strohm '09, and Matt Howell-Clarke '10 were in attendance. Emily is a case manager with Big Brothers Big Sisters of Burlington, Camden, and Gloucester counties in New Jersey.

Amanda Carol Zelazny '11 and William Cosnett exchanged wedding vows Dec. 31, 2012, in Yardville, N.J. Rachel Eck '11 served as a bridesmaid. Stephen Campbell '11 and Chrissy Garrison '10 were in attendance.

Kelsea Lynae Lamphere '12 and Valentino Gonzalez Jr. exchanged wedding vows May 4 in Lancaster. Jessica Riley '12, Danielle Hess '12, Kara Eberly '12, and Nicole Daub '12 were in the bridal party. Jordan Fitting '11 and Becky Firestone, LVC's registrar assistant and academic records coordinator, were in attendance. Kelsea is the assistant registrar at LVC.

Class Notes

David Evans 1915 was named posthumously to the MAC All-Century Team for men's track & field (1912–1938). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as

part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Evans was LVC's first sprinting star, winning the 1914 MAC title in the 220-yard dash in 22.4 seconds, breaking the existing conference record in the process. He also won a silver medal in the first MAC 100-yard dash.

Marcel von Bereghy 1916 was named posthumously to the MAC All-Century Team for men's track & field (1912–1938). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The

teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Von Bereghy, a member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame, was a three-sport athlete who won the 1914 MAC discus and shot put titles to set conference marks in both. His shot put mark of 43–9 endured for nearly a century on LVC's top 10 list, only bumping off in 2006.

'40s

In fall 1943, Edith Kreiser Probus '46 was one of nine sophomore girls to move into

the former North Hall. They all soon became good friends. During one of their late-night "bull sessions," they decided to choose a name for their group. BO was chosen; BO being short for Bon Oof, "good egg," which in 1940s slang meant a good friend and companion. In their senior year, Frances Workman Weiser '46 moved into North Hall and became the 10th BO. The first BO summer reunion was held in 1950, and the BOs and their families have gathered for a reunion every year since. The most recent BO reunion was held in Oct. 2012. Two of the members, Eleanor Hershey Kauffman '46 and Sarah Stauffer Sandy '46, have since passed away. However, BOs they were, and BOs the surviving members remain!

Dr. George Reynolds "Rinso" Marquette '48, the late legendary dean and coach in whose honor the Marquette Residence Hall is



(front, l. to r.): Mary Strock Rook, Eleanor Frezeman Immler, Eleanor Hershey Kauffman, Sarah Stauffer Sandy, Nancy Sattazahn Hoff, and Elizabeth Reiff Marino; (kneeling): Janet Dietz Spann; (back, l. to r.): Jean Thrush Hawkins and Edith Kreiser Probus; (not pictured: Frances Workman Weiser)

named, was inducted posthumously into the MAC Hall of Fame in 2013. The hall recognizes those from the conference who have demonstrated success in athletics, academics, and the community. Marquette made his biggest impact at LVC as a coach and administrator. After serving in World War II, he returned to the Valley to play baseball, basketball, and football. He played professional baseball in the Detroit Tigers organization, then earned a master's degree from Columbia University before returning to LVC as director of athletics and coach of baseball and basketball. In his first year as head coach, Marquette led the 1953 men's basketball team to the NCAA Sweet 16, making LVC the smallest school ever to make it that far in the NCAA Tournament (enrollment was just 400 students at the time). He coached basketball until 1960, finishing with a 101–76 record.

Glenn L. Hall '49 entered LVC as a music major, but on returning to the College after serving for several years in the Navy, he changed his major to history. After teaching at several other schools, he joined the faculty at St. John's River Junior College in Florida to teach history. However, it was his music background—piano, organ, and violin—that won him the position of founding the college chorus singers from the tri-county area. In 1965, he was the first faculty person hired to help launch Bucks County Community College in Newtown. Glenn received LVC's Hot Dog Frank Award in 2008 for researching and writing the history of LVC football. At 87 years young, he enjoys reading, jazz, playing Goren Bridge, and seeing shows in New York City. He and his wife of 60 years, Gloria, still jitterbug to big band music!

'50s

Albert Edwin Moser '53 has been retired 28 years and is busier than ever. He has two great-granddaughters and two great-grandsons.

Lou Sorrentino '54 was named posthumously to the MAC All-Century Team for football (1912–1969). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the

sport. Sorrentino earned 12 varsity letters while starring all four years in basketball, football, and baseball. In football, he was named First-Team All-State and Second-Team Little All-America, and later had his #21 jersey retired. Also a member of the Pennsylvania and Central Pennsylvania athletic halls of fame, Sorrentino went on to serve nearly 60 years at LVC until his passing in 2010. He coached four sports—baseball, basketball, football, and golf—and later served as athletic director. Today, the College gives its Lou Sorrentino Outstanding Athlete Award annually to its top male performer, and the MAC has two honors in his name: for the Commonwealth Conference's top golf finisher, and a lifetime achievement award given to a conference administrator who has displayed superb commitment to the MAC and NCAA Division III.

Dr. Jerry Bachman '58 received the LVC Distinguished Alumnus Award in June during Alumni Weekend. The award recognizes significant service to one's profession, the community, or the College. Bachman is a university distinguished research scientist and research professor at the University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research. (See related story on p. 9)

Sally Crobaugh Beaver '58 and her husband, Don, recently moved to the Bent Creek Crossing "over-55" community in Mechanicsburg. She states that hopefully it will be their last move!

Gerald "Jerry" S. Wingenroth '58 received an LVC Alumni Citation in June during Alumni Weekend. The award is bestowed for significant service to one's profession, the community, or to the College. (See related story on p. 10)

Bernard Buzgon, Esq., '59 of the Buzgon Davis Law Offices in Lebanon, was named to Philadelphia magazine's "Pennsylvania Super Lawyers 2013: The Ultimate Guide to the Best Attorneys in Pennsylvania." It is the ninth time that he has been selected, this year in the category of plaintiff's personal injury work. Buzgon is a member of the Million Dollar Advocate Forum and American Association for Justice, and is vice president of the Central Pennsylvania Trial Lawyers Association. He serves on the athletic hall of fame committees for LVC, the Central Chapter Pennsylvania Hall of

Fame, and Lebanon High School, and is a recipient of an LVC Alumnus Citation.

Linda Shirey Huber '59 teaches private autoharp lessons and leads festival workshops. She is known as "The Pigeon Hills Harper."

'60s

Linda Breeze Dorand-Reese '63 recently moved from California after more than 30 years to retire in Las Vegas, Nev. She states, "What an exciting place to live. It's true... the city never sleeps!"

Dr. Robert A. Lee '63 is in private practice as a licensed clinical psychologist in New Jersey. He also performs as a keyboardist and vocalist in New Jersey and Florida.

George M. Reider Jr. '63 retired from the College's Board of Trustees in June after almost 20 years of service. He served his alma mater as a member of the board's Executive Committee (vice chair), Benefits Subcommittee, Finance and Investment Committee (vice chair), and Risk Management Subcommittee (chair). A former insurance commissioner for the State of Connecticut, Reider received an LVC Alumni Citation in 1995 and the Distinguished Alumnus Award in 2001. He is the founder and owner of George Reider Consulting. (See related story on p. 3)

Richard Rotz '63 is the director of music at Mercersburg Academy. He also is the director of the Mercersburg Area Community Chorus and Orchestra and director of the McConnellsburg United Presbyterian Choir.

Robert R. Shope '63 is a retired senior vice president of JPMorgan Chase in Ohio.

Dr. Robert C. Lau '65 received an LVC Alumni Citation in June during Alumni Weekend. The award is bestowed for significant service to one's profession, the community, or the College. (See related story on p. 10)

Stephen H. Roberts '65 retired from the College's Board of Trustees in June after almost 20 years of service. President and chief executive officer of the EchoData

Group, Roberts has served LVC as chair of the board's Advancement Committee. He also was vice chair of the Marketing and Strategic Planning committees, and served on the Executive Committee. A former president of the LVC Alumni Association in the 1990s, Roberts was honored by the College in 2000 as the recipient of an Alumni Citation and in 2005 with the Distinguished Alumnus Award. (See related story on p. 3)

Alan Hague '68 and his wife, **Barbara Wert Hague '71**, are enjoying volunteer work, camping, hiking, trips, and their 12 grandchildren.

After 34 years, **Dr. Stephen M. Jacobs '68** retired in 2012 from Eastman Chemical Company in Kingsport, Tenn., as a senior development chemist. He is president of Jacobs Process Analytics, Inc., a consulting and specialty equipment company for process analytics servicing the chemical, petrochemical, refinery, pharmaceutical, and power industries, in Kingsport.

Dick Williams '68 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's cross country (1912–1974). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Williams, a 2009 inductee into the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame, was a three-time team MVP who twice placed in the top 10 at the MAC Championships.

Dr. Dennis J. Tulli '69 received the College's June Herr Outstanding Educator of the Year Award in June during Alumni Weekend. The award is for a graduate who has made a positive impact in the field of education. The award is named for the late **Dr. June Herr '34**, long-time professor of education at LVC. (See related story on p. 9)

'70s

Donna Lapp Harding '70 retired from Guthrie Clinic Laboratory in Sayre in June 2012,

after 31 years as a medical laboratory technician. She keeps busy doing volunteer work, traveling, and catching up on reading.

David H. Binkley II '71 was honored by the Camp Hill Presbyterian Church for 40 years of service as the church's organist and choir master. His primary responsibilities at the church include teaching music in the Sunday school for children, directing three choirs, providing staff support for the Worship & Fine Arts Ministry of Session, and coordinating the Music, Art, and Drama series. Binkley is a member of the American Guild of Organists and the Presbyterian Association of Musicians. He has played organ recitals and presented church music workshops throughout central Pennsylvania.

Dr. Jane C. Snyder '71 received an LVC Alumni Citation in June during Alumni Weekend. The award is bestowed for significant service to one's profession, the community, or the College. (See related story on p. 10)



Susan Manbeck Corbett '72

Susan Manbeck Corbett '72 was appointed to the College's Board of Trustees in May. She became the 44th First Lady of Pennsylvania when her husband, **The Honorable Tom Corbett, '71**, was sworn in as Governor of Pennsylvania on Jan. 18, 2011. (See related story on p. 3)

Tony Calabrese '73 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's lacrosse (1912–1972). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Calabrese was a two-time All-MAC defender who helped the Dutchmen to a 24–10 record during his three seasons. He was a 1989 inductee into the LVC Athletic

Hall of Fame and also was an All-ECAC linebacker in football.

In 2000, **Ralph J. Fetrow '73** became a certified financial planner. He serves on the board of the Central Pennsylvania Financial Planning Association. In addition, he is an investment management program advisory board manager of the Grove College of Business of Shippensburg University and treasurer of the Antique Auto Museum of Hershey. Ralph is senior vice president of Members 1st Federal Credit Union and a certified financial planning practitioner for Members 1st Investment Services.

Joseph Anthony Garguilo '73 retired from education after 35 years. He is an active member of the LVC Alumni Choral, works with the Boy Scouts of America, cantors in church, and enjoys retirement.

Don Johnson '73 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's basketball (1967–1974). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Johnson graduated as LVC's all-time leading scorer with 1,976 points and 863 rebounds, both of which today rank third in program history. He earned NABC All-America honors in 1972–1973 while leading LVC to the MAC title.

Bradley Stocker '73 retired from teaching and supervising the elementary gifted program in the Annville-Cleona School District and is currently guest director of plays and musicals at Annville-Cleona High School.

Linda Witmer Thompson '73 retired from Frederick County Public Schools in June 2010, after 21 years of working as a user support specialist in the computer lab. Her husband, **Richard "Rich" Thompson '71**, retired in April 2011 from the Department of Transportation after working for the federal government for 38 years. In their retirement, they are enjoying their six grandchildren and keeping busy with concerts, sporting events, church activities, and travel.

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Jerry Frey '74 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's golf (1974–1983). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Frey was the program's first All-American and a three-time MAC medalist. He still holds the record for LVC's all-time low round, 66. He is a member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame.

Ken Seyfert '75 has been named president and chief executive officer of the Grace

Brethren Investment foundation in Winona Lake, Ind. He has served the foundation for more than 15 years, overseeing daily operations and management of the investment and loan portfolios.

Scott Carney '78 is the head of life product management at ING in West Chester.



Ken Seyfert '75

M. Louise Hackman Hess '78 was appointed to the College's Board of Trustees in May. Retired from Lancaster Laboratories where she was director of quality assurance, Hess is an independent quality assurance consultant. Her mother, **Elaine Hackman '52**, is a trustee emerita of LVC's board, having served as an active member from 1982–1999. (See related story on p. 3)



M. Louise Hackman Hess '78

Arlene Hoffman '78 is a homebound instructor with the Poudre School District in Fort Collins, Colo. She still sings in the Laudamus Chamber Chorale and occasionally plays the cello with a recorder ensemble. In 2011, she and her husband, Henry, hiked across the Grand Canyon.

Gregg E. Jacobs '78 is senior manager of global contract manufacturing and contract packaging quality assurance at the Center of Excellence for The Hershey Company. He has published several genealogy books for various ancestral lines of his family. He and his wife, Beth, recently completed a four-year study of Native American spiritual traditions and ceremonies, and look forward to retiring.

Deborah Warner Papavizas '78 is a group fitness instructor at Columbia Association in Columbia, Md. She also is a church organist and piano teacher.

Stephen Scanniello '78 was recently honored by the Garden Club of America (GCA) for his work with roses. He became the 25th recipient to be presented with the Jane Righter Medal, which was established by the GCA in 1942.

The Rev. William S. Shillady '78 is the chief executive officer and executive director of the United Methodist City Society in New York City. He served on the program cabinet of the New York Annual Conference and was a delegate to the General Conference of the United Methodist Church.

Michael Daveler '79, a senior IT security consultant with Allied InfoSecurity, presented a Computer Security Forensics session at the Philadelphia InfraGard's "Day of Training" Conference in June. He focused on key issues and best practices in the use of forensic techniques when responding to an information security incident. Daveler has more than 25 years of technical experience, with a background in deep security and IT management.

Karl Neiswender '79 was inducted into the New Jersey Tennis Hall of Fame in Edison, N.J., in April.

Kirk Wise '79 performed with his band, the "Jazz Me Band," during the Alumni Awards Ceremony of Alumni Weekend in June.

'80s

John Champlin '80 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's golf

(1974–1983). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Champlin, who won two MAC medals, was an All-American in 1980 and is a member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame.

Karen A. Lewis Schmitt

'80 was appointed to the College's Board of Trustees in May. A Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society, Schmitt is president of Maiden RE, Maiden Reinsurance Company, and Maiden Specialty Insurance Company. (See related story on p. 3)



Karen A. Lewis Schmitt '80

George Meyers '81

received the College's Creative Achievement Award in June during Alumni Weekend. The award recognizes distinguished creative accomplishments in the arts and journalism. (See related story on p. 10)

In August 2012, **the Rev. Charles Salisbury '81** was appointed to serve as district superintendent of the York District Office of the Susquehanna Conference of the United Methodist Church.

Dr. David Ramage '82 was promoted from assistant principal to principal at Pottsgrove Middle School. Previously, he was coordinator of technology and staff development in the Souderton Area School District, as well as a music teacher. Ramage earned his doctorate from Drexel University and his master's degree from DeSales University.

Victoria "Vicky" Shaw Salisbury '82 has taught elementary vocal music in Harford County, Md., for 24 years and achieved National Teacher Certification in 2010. She also is the sanctuary choir director at Bethany United Methodist Church in Red Lion.

SallyAnne Foose Berger '83 is a K–8 music specialist in the Higley Unified School District in Gilbert, Ariz.

Penny Halbleib Harris '83 is a licensing specialist for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg.

Richard Kohr '83 has been a licensed battlefield guide at Gettysburg National Military Park since 1995, and is former president of the Association of Licensed Battlefield Guides. He has taught continuing education courses at Harrisburg Area Community College and has lectured at numerous Civil War roundtables.

Lisa Zeiders Lyons '83 writes a weekly email devotional, "Joyful Journal," as part of the "From the Ashes" ministry.

Dr. Steven T. Weber '83 has been named music department chair at Amarillo College in Texas. He previously served as director of choral activities at the college since 1992.

Herb Hutchinson '84 is vice president of recruiting for Bridge-x Technologies in Cranbury, N.J. Bridge-x is an SAP collaboration platform that enables manufacturers, dealers, retailers, vendors, and end-customers to collaborate through role-based, user-friendly HTML5 applications and related mobile platforms.

Elisabeth Garner Weber '86 recently was the music director for Rodgers and Hammerstein's "The Sound of Music," which was hosted by the Unitarian Universalist Society of Greater Springfield (Mass.). She is the church's music director.

Don Hostetler '88 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's basketball (1983–1987). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Hostetler scored 1,299 points in his career and was an All-MAC honoree in 1987.

Rochelle Zimmerman Kniss '88 is a lower elementary music teacher at Shalom Christian Academy in Chambersburg. She also has 30 private piano students and accompanies a children's choir. She and

her husband, Carl, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary in June. They love to go biking during the warmer months.

Chris Smith '88 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1987–1993). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Smith earned All-MAC distinction at second base in 1988 and is still one of LVC's all-time best hitters with a .370 career average and .466 career on-base percentage. He ranks fourth all-time with 87 runs scored.

Gretchen Allison Snavelly '88 is a research technologist 2 at the Penn State Hershey Medical Center.



Michael G. Dryden, Esq., '90, chair of the workers' compensation department at the

Philadelphia labor, employment, and workers' compensation firm; Willig,

Williams & Davidson; has been named to Philadelphia magazine's "Pennsylvania Super Lawyers 2013." He has

been honored with multiyear listings. Dryden also has

received certification as a specialist in the practice of workers' compensation law by the Pennsylvania Bar Association Workers' Compensation Law Section.



Michael G. Dryden, Esq., '90

Sue Partilla '90 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for field hockey (1988–1992). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Partilla was a two-time All-American during the national emergence of LVC field hockey in the late 1980s and early 1990s. A member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame, Partilla helped lead LVC to the 1988 MAC title and the program's first-ever NCAA appearance.

Dr. Albertine "Tina" P. Washington H'91, P'86 retired from the College's Board of Trustees in June after almost 20 years of service. She served on the board's Academic/Student Affairs and Enrollment Committee, as well as on the Trusteeship Committee. She is also a longtime member of the College's Diversity Action Committee and will remain active in this role. Washington was the first African-American to serve as a teacher in any public school in Lebanon County (1963–1969). She was named Pennsylvania's Teacher of the Year in 1991 and Woman of the Year by the Annville Chapter of the American Association for University Women in 1985. (See related story on p. 3)

Troy Celesky '92 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1987–1993). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Celesky was a two-time all-conference catcher who led LVC in hitting as a junior (.348) before having a huge senior campaign with 25 RBI and a .397 batting average. He held LVC's career RBI record (80) at graduation, and today is sixth all-time.

Sandy Fauser '93 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for field hockey (1988–1992). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Fauser was a two-time All-American during the national emergence of LVC field hockey in the late 1980s and early 1990s. A member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame, Fauser helped lead the 1991 and 1992 MAC Championship teams.

Kevin Wagner '93 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1987–1993). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Wagner was the 1993 MAC Player of the Year, twice earning All-MAC honors at first base. He hit .373 with 31 RBI and 10 home runs in 1993, and remains LVC's all-time career home runs leader with 23. His .745 slugging percentage and home run

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total in 1993 remain LVC single-season records.

Kirk Seesholtz '94 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1987–1993). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Seesholtz earned All-MAC honors at shortstop in 1992, scoring 24 runs and driving in another 29 that season. He remains one of the College's all-time walks leaders (53).

Ross DeNisco '95 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's track & field (1994–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. DeNisco won MAC titles in the shot put and discus in 1994 and 1995, earning the 1995 MAC Field Athlete of the Year honor, and continued to place seventh at the NCAA Championships that year in the shot put to earn All-America honors. He still holds the College's shot put record of 51–1.5 feet; his discus record of 150–8 remained unbroken until 2007. He is one of only two Dutchmen to have thrown 50 feet in the shot put.

Mark Hofsass '95 will be inducted into the Central Chapter of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame in November, during the 43rd annual Induction and Awards Banquet. A star basketball player on the 1994 NCAA Division III national championship men's basketball team, Hofsass is a member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame.

Jeff Koegel '95 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's cross country (1993–2002). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Koegel was the 1994 MAC Champion and a three-time, top-five finisher. He placed 36th at the 1994 NCAA Championships as a senior.

Mike Rhoades '95, associate head coach of men's basketball at Virginia Commonwealth

University, was inducted into the MAC Hall of Fame in 2013. He was also named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's basketball (1994–2003). The hall recognizes those from the conference who have demonstrated success in athletics, academics, and the community. Rhoades was the starting point guard for the LVC 1994 NCAA Division III National Championship team. A three-time MAC Player of the Year, he graduated as the MAC's all-time leading scorer (2,050 career points) and still holds LVC records for all-time assists, free throw percentage, and steals. Rhoades was a USA Today National Player of the Year, two-time National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) All-American, and three-time NABC All-Region selection. His jersey, #5, is one of just five retired from LVC basketball.

The Rev. Richard Benner '97 was recently ordained by Bishop David M. O'Connell as a permanent deacon in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Trenton, N.J. He is employed by Educational Testing Service in Ewing, N.J.

Jenn Nauss Cornish '97 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's track & field (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Cornish, a member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame, was an outstanding sprinter and long jumper, qualifying seven times for the NCAA Championships and earning 200-meter All-America status in 1996. She was a three-time MAC Athlete of the Year, winning 15 gold medals. She still holds school records in five events: outdoor 200-meter (24.9), 400-meter (57.68), and long jump (18–3.25); and indoor 55-meter (7.44) and long jump (18–3.75).

Katoora Patches Rohrer '97 and her husband, Michael, have two children, Nicholas, 8, and Abigail, 5. Katoora is an English teacher in the Elizabethtown Area School District, and received her master's degree in education from Wilkes University in May 2013.

David W. Wright '97 was named secondary school principal in the Annville-Cleona School District.

Elizabeth Masessa Carmona '98 is a music teacher in the Randolph Township Schools in Randolph, N.J.

Richard S. Hornberger '98 is the assistant superintendent for the Ephrata Area School District. He previously served as director of secondary education and high school principal in the Northern Lebanon School District, as well as a teacher, assistant elementary school principal, elementary school principal, and an adjunct professor at Cabrini College.

Brian John Kruzel '98 is a trooper II with the New Jersey State Police.

Although retired, **Susan LeBaron-Tonini '98** is working on her National Chaplain Certification.

Jeanine Schweitzer Metzler '98 received the Christensen Award for Excellence in Teaching from Northampton Community College, where she is an associate professor of accounting. The award recognizes the outstanding performance of a full-time teaching faculty member who demonstrates excellence in classroom instruction and who provides outstanding service to students.



*Jeanine Schweitzer
Metzler '98*

Cheryl Brand Robinson '98 is an expert behavior detection officer with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security in Indianapolis, Ind.

Andy Panko '99 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's basketball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Panko was a two-time National Player of the Year and three-time All-American, scoring an LVC record 2,515 points. He was a three-time MAC Player of the Year and is fourth in LVC history with 827 rebounds. Panko has played professionally in the U.S. and Europe since graduating from LVC, and in 2012 was named MVP of the Spanish ACB League while playing with San Sebastián Gipuzkoa.

'00

Ann Musser Davis '00 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's

track & field (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Davis, a member of the LVC Athletic Hall of Fame, is the only student-athlete in LVC history to earn five All-America awards—two indoor in the shot put and three outdoor in the discus and shot put. She was a 10-time NCAA qualifier and 11-time MAC Champion. She was the first female in MAC history to be a four-year gold medal winner in a single event. She still holds the LVC outdoor standards for the shot put (43–0.5) and discus (146–5), and her hammer best (131–11) stood until this past season.

Sarah Klingensmith Kneier '00 received her master of divinity from Lancaster Theological Seminary in May. She is a self-employed religious leader.

Amanda Ott Templeton '00 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for field hockey (1993–2002). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Ott was a two-time All-American and three-time all-region selection who was named the 1999 MAC Player of the Year. She helped lead LVC to the 1997 MAC title and NCAA Final Four.

'01

John Brennan '01 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's golf (1994–

2004). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Brennan qualified for the NCAA Championships in 2001 after averaging 76 that season.

Trent Hollinger '01, assistant professor of music and director of bands at Culver-Stockton College in Canton, Mo., received the 2013 Helsabeck Prize for Excellence in Teaching, a cash award given annually to a faculty member selected from student and faculty nominations. He also serves as the

music director of the Quincy Area Youth Orchestra as well as the Quincy Concert Band.

Steve Horst, Esq., '01 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's basketball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Horst was a NABC All-American, CoSIDA Academic All-American, and two-time all-region pick as the 2000–2001 Commonwealth Conference Player of the Year. His 1,608 career points are seventh at LVC, and his 637 rebounds are sixth.

Dr. Edward Timmons '01 was awarded tenure at St. Francis University, where he is an associate professor of economics, a member of the Institutional Review Board, and a member of the office of undergraduate student research. He earned his doctorate and master's degree in economics and business from Lehigh University.

'02

Steve Anspach '02 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball

(1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Anspach was a two-time all-conference pitcher and is arguably one of LVC's best all-around players. He holds LVC career pitching records for wins (20), starts (32), complete games (18), and strikeouts (178). He also was a .330 career hitter with 15 home runs and 87 RBI. He is LVC's career doubles leader with 39.

Nathan Himes '02 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's golf (1994–2004). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Himes earned a top-five finish in the MAC Championships in 2000.

Brian Zellers '02 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The

teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Zellers earned All-Commonwealth Conference status as an outfielder in 2002, hitting .327 with 30 RBI in 45 starts. He was a career .314 hitter with 62 RBI.

'03

Michael "Mic" Bender '03 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for

men's tennis (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Bender was a three-time all-conference player, and in 2001 won the MAC Individual Tournament and earned conference Player of the Year honors. He also was a First-Team Academic All-American, still only one of three in LVC history.

Moriah Miller D'Amico '03 is a bibliographic assistant II at Temple University Harrisburg.

Lindsey Forry Miller '03 received her master's degree in early childhood education from the University of North Dakota in 2012. She teaches preschool for the Jewish Council for Youth Services in Buffalo Grove, Ill., and trains other educators in classroom management and peer resolution techniques. Her husband, **Richard A. Miller '06**, is earning his degree in optometry at the Illinois College of Optometry.

Dr. Nicholas "Nick" Petrovich '03 received his doctor of pharmacy degree from Temple University School of Pharmacy in May.

Tim Rink '03 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Rink was the 2002 Commonwealth Conference Player of the Year and a two-time All-CC selection, slugging an LVC-record .676 during his career as catcher. His .395 career average is second all-time, and he hit over .400 three times, including .401 with nine home runs and 34 RBI in 2002. Defensively, he threw out an LVC-record 36 base stealers in his career.

Stephanie Tighe '03 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's basketball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Tighe was the first Dutchmen women's basketball player to be named All-American when she earned the honor in 2002–2003. She is LVC's all-time leading scorer with 1,663 points. Tighe also holds school career records for field goals (597) and free throws (385), and the single-game record for points (42).

Joe Zielke '03 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Zielke twice was named All-Commonwealth Conference at third base. He was a career .339 hitter, starting all 108 games he appeared in with 72 RBI and 21 stolen bases.

'04

Abby Shumaker Bifano '04 is a research regulatory and quality assurance manager with the Lerner Research Institute of the Cleveland Clinic.

Jeff Grieger '04 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Grieger earned All-Commonwealth honors in 2003 as an outfielder, hitting .393 with 21 RBI. He was a career .327 hitter in 101 career starts for the Dutchmen.

'05

J.D. Byers '05 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's basketball (2004–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport.

Byers was a 2004–2005 First-Team All-American and the 2005 CoSIDA Academic All-American of the Year. The two-time Commonwealth Conference Player of the Year scored 1,898 career points, and he is LVC's three-point record holder with 301.

Crystal Gibson '05 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's track & field (1994–2003). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Gibson was a 2002 All-American in the high jump, winning four straight MAC titles in the event between 2002 and 2005. Her school record of 5–8 is five inches better than any other Dutchman has cleared and has endured for more than a decade. Gibson also was a star point guard on the women's basketball team, leading the Dutchmen to 82 wins in her career. She led the team in assists and minutes played her last three years.

Billy Silar '05 is an AV-systems specialist at the Philadelphia Museum of Art.

'06

Lorna Hasz Silipino '06 is a research assistant at the University of Maryland, Baltimore.

Lauren Warner Stein '06 is a clinical trials project leader for Precision Therapeutics, Inc., in Pittsburgh.

'07

Dr. Jeremy Ansbach '07, D'10 is a physical therapy fellow at Drayer Physical Therapy Institute in Hummelstown. He became a board-certified orthopedic specialist in physical therapy after passing the OCS exam from the American Board of Physical Therapy Specialists in June 2012.

Jillian Michelle Copeland, Esq., '07 is a staff attorney with MidPenn Legal Services in Lebanon.

Thomas M. Davidson '07 is the fifth- and eighth-grade band director in the Randolph Township Schools in Randolph, N.J.

Caleb Flick '07, professional accompanist and solo artist, was a member of a master class that accompanied Austrian classical pianist Paul Badura-Skoda at a recent performance in Camp Hill. They performed sonatas by Beethoven and Chopin.

Norma Iris Gonzalez '07 is a family-based mental health worker with Pennsylvania Counseling Services in Lebanon. She is currently pursuing her master's degree in social work.

Dan Kelly '07 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (2004–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Kelly earned All-Commonwealth Conference selection in 2007 and is one of LVC's all-time greatest hitters. He graduated as the career leader in hits (151, now second) and triples (14), as well as second in runs scored (99). A career .348 hitter, his 2007 campaign saw him bat .353 with five triples, 23 RBI, and a career-high 34 runs scored. Also a star quarterback, Kelly was named All-MAC his senior season.

Megan Marianne Kohr '07 is an independent contractor for the Upper Iowa University in Fayette, Iowa. She received her master's degree in anthropology from the University of Cincinnati in May.

Bettylou Mihal '07 is a corrections officer for the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections in Camp Hill.

Nick Orfanella '07 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for men's track & field (1994–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Orfanella was an All-American in discus in 2007, and holds LVC records in the discus (166–6) and hammer throw (175–8). He is one of only two Dutchmen to have thrown 50 feet in the shot put. Orfanella won three consecutive MAC discus titles and the 2007 ECAC gold.

Spec. Zachary T. Teisher '07 graduated from basic training with the Army National Guard at Fort Benning, Ga., in April. He is the husband of **Jennifer Wert Teisher '08**, assistant director of admission at LVC.

Angela C. Undercuffler '07 received the College's Young Alumna Award in June during Alumni Weekend. The award recognizes an individual who graduated within the last 15 years for achievements in one's profession or significant service to the community or to LVC. (See related story on p. 9)

'08

Dr. Jeanne Donlevy Arnold H'08 was named to the College's Board of Trustees in May. A

recipient of LVC's Founders Day Award (2007), Arnold is retired from her medical career as senior vice president for patient-care services at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lebanon. (See related story on p. 3)



Dr. Jeanne Donlevy Arnold H'08

Zach Barkus '08 has been named to the Brand Innovators "40 Under 40" list for 2013. He is the manager of mobile and emerging media at the Campbell Soup Company. He is responsible for ensuring quality and continuity in mobile development, activation, and partnerships across the Campbell portfolio.



Zach Barkus '08

Amanda Empson Cassata '08 is a histotechnologist at the Lebanon Veteran's Administration Hospital.

Marie Cusick '08 has joined WITF, Harrisburg, as its multimedia StateImpact Pennsylvania reporter. She previously spent nearly two years covering technology, the economy, politics, and Marcellus Shale drilling for the Innovation Trail in Albany, N.Y., at WMHT.



Marie Cusick '08

John Mentzer '08 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (2004–2012). The

team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Mentzer rewrote LVC's record book, earning All-Commonwealth Conference honors in 2007. He is LVC's career leader in hits (180), RBI (132), starts (138), and games played (140). He hit .354 and slugged .509 in his career, highlighted by his junior season, when he hit .401 with 54 RBI. He is one of three Dutchmen to have hit for the cycle.

Dr. Jared David Pitt '08 received his doctor of veterinary medicine degree from the Tuskegee University School of Veterinary Medicine in May. He is a full-time associate veterinarian at West Lancaster Animal Hospital. He states that he is definitely excited to do what he has always wanted to do.

Chris Schank '08 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (2004–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Schank was named All-Commonwealth Conference as a catcher in 2007, hitting .388 and slugging .544 with 37 runs scored. He was a career .306 hitter and graduated as LVC's career walks leader (65, now second).

Travis Yeagley '08 received his master's degree with honors in applied clinical nutrition from New York Chiropractic College in April.

'09

Shelly Marie Burkholder '09 is a student financial planning counselor for the Office of Student Financial Planning at Alvernia University in Reading.

Charles Patrick O'Brien '09 is lead web developer at Schubert Communications in Downingtown.

Rebecca Schlegel '09 is an elementary music teacher in the Mahanoy Area School District in Mahanoy City.



Ten Valley alumni work for several divisions of Clark Associates, including The WEBstaurant Store, Clark Food Service Equipment, and Clark Associates. (l. to r.): Jake King '11, Brian Montgomery '07, Ryan Tiburtini '07, Emily Gertenbach '11, Suzy Biever '12, and Emily Hewitt '10 (not pictured: Laura Mutchler '11, Logan Carl '12, Sean Deffley '11, and Cody Shepp '12)

Brandon Thompson '09 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for baseball (2004–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Thompson earned All-Commonwealth Conference honors as a designated hitter in 2007, hitting .323 with 19 RBI as a junior. He hit .302 in his career with 33 walks.

Kristin Richele Turcovski '09 received her master's degree in music education from Boston University earlier this year.

Alex Wolfe '09 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for field hockey (2003–2011). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Wolfe graduated as LVC's all-time assists leader (since surpassed) with 36, and scored 136 points to earn All-American honors in 2007 and 2008 while leading LVC to the NCAA Final Four in 2007.

'10

Tiffany Nichole Caplinger '10 received her master's degree in clinical psychology from Millersville University in May.

Caitlin Elizabeth Krause, Esq., '10 received her juris doctorate from the Widener School of Law. She also was recognized for completing 40 hours of pro bono work and received a certificate of achievement for excellence in family law.

Lauren Train Orndorf '10 is a senior actuarial analyst with the Chubb Group of Insurance Companies in Whitehouse Station, N.J.

Kayla Houser Rumpilla '10 is a victim assistance coordinator in the Office of the Victim Advocacy with the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole in Harrisburg.

'11

Jenn Cronin '11 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's cross country (2003–2011). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Cronin graduated as the program's most accomplished runner, winning the NCAA Midwest Regional meet in 2009, twice qualifying for nationals, and medaling twice at MAC Championships.

Emily Gertenbach '11, an e-commerce content specialist with The WEBstaurant Store, works with several LVC alumni. They all work for Clark Associates, but some work in different divisions.

Andrea Hoover '11 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's basketball (2004–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Hoover helped lead the LVC women to their first-ever Commonwealth Conference Championship and was named tournament MVP in the process. She was named an All-American and the Commonwealth Player of the Year in both her junior and senior seasons. Hoover also was named Regional Player of the Year and an All-American by d3hoops.com as a senior. She ranks sixth in LVC history with 1,170 points and holds the school record in assists with 586.

Christopher Klimovitz '11 received his master's degree in public policy from Drexel University in March. He started classes at Arcadia University in August, working on a master's degree in international peace and conflict resolution.

Megan McGrady '11 is the director of special events with the American Cancer Society in White Plains, N.Y.

Joelle Snyder '11 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's volleyball (2003–2011). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Snyder was named an AVCA All-American twice, beginning her collegiate career in 2007 by capturing the Commonwealth Conference Rookie of the Year Award. She went on to be named First-Team All-Conference in each of her four seasons. Today, Snyder still holds the program record for career attack percentage (.322) and ranks second in career kills (1,532).

Alyssa Marie Wargo '11 is a staff accountant at Enterprise in Rockville, Md.

'12

Sarah Engelsman '12 is the hospital manager at VCA Charles London Animal Hospital in York.

Jennifer Lane Heck '12 is a percussion instructor and assistant band director for the Cedar Crest High School marching band.

Jocelyn Novak '12 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for field hockey (2003–2011). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Novak is one of the nation's all-time greats, graduating as the all-time scoring leader in NCAA Division III history (141 goals, 300 points). She is the College's only four-time All-American.

'13

Ethan Grodzinski '13 is the 2013 Henry L. Wilder Memorial Award winner. The award is given to the most outstanding senior collegiate athlete by the Central Chapter of the Pennsylvania State Hall of Fame.

Hana Krechel '13 was named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's lacrosse (1994–2012). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Krechel graduated as the MAC's greatest scorer, setting conference records for goals (272) and points (410) while finishing her career third all-time in NCAA Division III for points. She was a four-time All-MAC/Commonwealth selection, the 2012 Commonwealth Conference Player of the Year, and 2012 tournament MVP. She led the re-formed Dutchmen women's lacrosse program to the 2013 ECAC Mid-Atlantic title, the first championship in program history.

Friends of the College

Lisa Frey and **Kelly Stewart** were named to the MAC All-Century Team for women's cross country (1993–2002). The team, voted on by fans, was recognized as part of the conference's 100th anniversary celebration. The teams were divided into specific eras of competition, depending on the sport. Frey and Stewart each recorded a pair of top-five finishes at MAC Championships while attending LVC.

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'30s

Mary Kauffman Clagett '36 died May 20 in Monona, Wis., at the age of 98. She was a teacher, substitute teacher, and volunteer in many elementary schools. She loved music and was a talented pianist and vocalist. She sang in the choir at Plymouth Congregational Church in Fargo, N.D., and Faith United Church of Christ in State College.

Mabel Chamberlain Jankowski '36 died May 22, 2012, in Elizabethtown at the age of 98. Mabel was an active member of her community all of her life, no matter where she resided. She was a Worthy Matron of the Conrad Weiser Chapter of Eastern Star. She received certification as a national flower show judge and was active in state and local chapters of the Gardening Club for more than 20 years. Jankowski was involved with the Literacy Council of Reading/Berks and was a volunteer at the Berks County Heritage Center.

Dr. Roger Behm Saylor '38 died May 2 in Juno Beach, Fla., at the age of 95. He served in the U.S. Coast Guard in World War II as an engineering officer. He was a professor at Penn State University for 34 years, where he taught statistics and economics, retiring in 1981. Saylor developed a high school football rating system that was used by the Newark Evening News from 1947 until 1972, when it ceased publishing. The Western Conference Association adopted the ranking system and used it until 1985, when several conferences merged. He continued to compile high school and college football records through 2012. Saylor was a master bridge player, and his passion for the game lasted until his passing.

'40s

Fioda Trout Guinivan '41 died June 8 in Maytown at the age of 95. She was retired from the Lower Dauphin School District, where she taught elementary education at the former Hummelstown School. She had previously taught at Lawn Elementary School in the Palmyra Area School District. An avid reader, she served as a volunteer in the medical library of the Milton S. Hershey Medical Center for more than 10 years.

Jean Daugherty Carr '43 died May 25 in Alabama at the age of 90. She worked as a librarian and public school teacher. Throughout her life, she was a devoted student of the Bible and attended church at All Saints Episcopal Church in Mobile, Ala. Carr volunteered with a wide variety of community service organizations. She is survived by a sister, Nancy Daugherty Cortner '55, and was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph E. Carr '42.

Mary Jane Fulton Prall '43 died April 28 in Lee's Summit, Mo., at the age of 90. Early in her career, she hosted a talk show on radio station WALL in Middletown, N.Y., and also started a volunteer program for the Middletown State Hospital. She was a docent at the Nelson-Atkins Art Museum in Kansas City, Mo. Prall also taught journalism and honors English at Paseo, Southeast, and Southwest high schools. While living in Texas, she volunteered for Recording for the Blind and Dyslexic, logging thousands of hours and receiving multiple service awards. She also recorded for the Texas Talking Books Program for 18 years. Additionally,

Prall volunteered for the Capital Area Food Bank, the U.S.-China Peoples Friendship Association, and an adult literacy program. She was an avid ballroom dancer and bridge and tennis player. She and her husband loved to travel and had visited 200 countries and all seven continents.

Edward D. Withers '44 died May 11 in Laconia, N.H., at the age of 89. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He had a long career in chemical engineering, research, and development, working for Cordis Corporation in Miami Lakes, Fla.; GAF Corporation in Binghamton, N.Y.; Allied Chemical Corporation in Morristown, N.J.; and Celanese Corporation in New York City. He was a member of the American Chemical Society, the Scientific Research Society of America, the Society for Applied Spectroscopy, and the Summit Association of Scientists. An avid reader, Withers also enjoyed hiking, tennis, gardening, and world travel. He was predeceased by his wife, Nancy Saurman Withers '47, and a sister, Irene Withers Blair '48. Withers is survived by a sister, Ruth Withers Cooper '51, and brother-in-law, Harry Cooper '52.

Robert J. Donough '45 died Feb. 10 in New York at the age of 88. He had a long career in the banking industry, holding various positions. He was executive vice president and secretary at the State Bank of Albany (N.Y.); then president and chief administrative officer of the United Bank Corporation of New York; and president, chief executive officer, and director of the Liberty National Bank and Trust Company. He served on several banking institution committees, as well as serving as treasurer, chair of the finance committee, and as a member of the board of trustees of Buffalo General Hospital. Donough also was the director of the United Way of Buffalo and Erie County, a member of the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy—Albright Knox Art Gallery, director of the Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce, and an advisory board member for the School of Management at the State University of New York at Buffalo, as well as serving with other organizations.

Dr. Majorie M. Nemes '45 died May 22 in Wyndmoor at the age of 91. Early in her career, she taught at the Women's Medical College in Philadelphia. She later worked as a supervisor and research scientist for Merck and Company and was a biomedical consultant to hospitals and nursing homes. She made biannual trips to the Amazon and Peruvian rainforests, collecting plants for medicinal purposes, studying prehistoric birds, and even negotiating with bandits.

Kathryn Albert Heckard '47 died March 8 in Lebanon at the age of 88. She was a vocal music teacher and supervisor in public education for 40 years, working in the Lebanon School District from 1952 through her retirement in 1990. She was a member of Nu Chapter Delta Kappa Gamma, Harmonia Music Association, and the American Association of University Women, and traveled extensively throughout Europe with the Pennsylvania Ambassadors for Music. Heckard enjoyed spending many summers performing with Saratoga Potsdam Performing Arts Center. She was a member of St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Schaefferstown, where she was the choir director for many years. She was named an inaugural member of the Lebanon County Music Hall of Fame after her death. Heckard is survived by a sister-in-law, Margaretta Bailey Albert '49.

In Memoriam

Clarence William "Bill" Witt '49 died March 4 in Arizona at the age of 88. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, having served in New Guinea and the Philippines during World War II. He was an engineer at Allied Signal Aerospace in Arizona for 25 years, and also worked at Honeywell International Inc.

'50s

Ruth Kramer Jones '50 died March 2 in Spring City at the age of 84. She was an active member of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, volunteering in the office and with Vacation Bible School. She also was a member of the Lower Dauphin Band Boosters and their Parent Teacher Association. Jones enjoyed gardening, bowling, playing tennis, sewing, and going to yard sales.

Ralph R. Roberts '50 died March 28 in Iowa City, Iowa, at the age of 86. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1944 to 1945. Early on, he served as a junior volunteer firefighter in Hummelstown and worked briefly at the Hershey Chocolate Factory. After moving to Iowa City, he served on the faculty at the University of Iowa, helping build their Department of Rehabilitation and Counselor Education. He retired as professor *emeritus* in 1991. Roberts made contributions to various national rehabilitation counseling associations with his research and education programs.

Lyle R. Schwalm '50 died Jan. 11 in Langhorne at the age of 88. He was a teacher and deputy principal for 30 years with the Neshaminy School District until his retirement in 1983. He was a member of the Bensalem United Methodist Church, the Neshaminy Federation of Teachers, and the Pennsylvania State Education Association. He was a 32nd-degree Master Mason with the Newton Lodge 427 of the Free and Accepted Masons, and also belonged to several other organizations.

Richard H. Spangler '50 died March 17 in Cornwall at the age of 84. He served in the U.S. Army in the German Occupation Forces from 1950 to 1952. He worked as an industrial engineer at Bethlehem Steel. He served as a pastor, volunteered at the Lebanon Veteran's Administration Hospice for more than 15 years, and volunteered for the United Cerebral Palsy day program in Lancaster. Spangler was a member of Living Word Ministries. He enjoyed fly-fishing, deer and small game hunting, and was a member of the Susquehannock Fly Fishers Club.

William Cagnoli '51 died Feb. 26 in Harrisburg at the age of 84. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II as a technical sergeant in the Army Ground Forces Band; and then as a master sergeant with the U.S./Pennsylvania Air National Guard, 553rd Air Force Band. He founded Cagnoli Music Company in 1960, where he sold and repaired instruments, as well as offered music lessons. In 1970 he purchased Marty's Music Store in Lebanon. Both stores were later sold. Cagnoli volunteered for nearly 20 years at the Lebanon Veterans Hospital as a registered musical therapist. He played with the Harrisburg Symphony Orchestra and many local bands, as well as for visiting musicals, the Ice Capades, Ice Follies, and other productions. He served as president, conductor, and cofounder of the Hershey Symphony Orchestra. Cagnoli was a lifetime member of the Hershey Italian Lodge and was a founding member and corresponding secretary of the Derry Township Better Government League. He also was a member of Brownstone Lodge

#666 F&AM in Hershey, the Harrisburg Consistory, and the Zembo Temple Shriners.

Paul F. Edwards '52 died April 15 in Grifton, N.C., at the age of 83. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He began his career at E.I. DuPont in Seaford, Del., and transferred to the Kinston site in 1953 until his draft into the service. He returned to DuPont in Kinston and worked 32 years as a manufacturing supervisor before retiring in 1985. Edwards was instrumental in developing a Little League football team in Grifton, and also served as coach. He was a member of the Barger Lodge #325 Masons in Stroudsburg and the Grifton United Methodist Church. He and his wife enjoyed traveling across the U.S. in their motor home and spending summers in Pennsylvania. Edwards was predeceased by his wife of 57 years, Anna Fay Hall Edwards '51.

Sidney L. Hofing '56 died March 30 in Washington Crossing at the age of 78. He practiced law for many years before turning his attention to a variety of businesses. He founded the Eagle Group, a real estate investment concern, and Hofing Management Company. He then purchased and became CEO and president of GenPak, a pharmaceutical packaging company. Hofing served on the boards of Yardville National Bank, Admiralty Bank, Anchor Bank, and First Bank. He was an active member at Har Sinai Temple for more than 50 years. He was honored by the American Heart Association twice as its Man of the Year. In the 1960s, he was the co-owner and general manager of the Trenton Colonials of the Eastern Professional Basketball League.

Jeanne Winter Noll '57 died April 12 in Topton at the age of 77. Early in her marriage, she joined her husband, Clair, in Japan after he was drafted into the U.S. Army. They had met as LVC freshmen while waiting in line to register for classes. She taught English to the children of American servicemen stationed at a U.S. Army base near Yokohama and developed a passion for Japan and its culture.

After moving back to the U.S. and raising a family, she returned to full-time teaching as a music educator in the Kutztown Area School District. One of her favorite activities was directing the Pop Group—a performance choir at Kutztown High School. She and her husband were involved in the Kutztown Kiwanis Club. Noll was an active participant of the Berks County Republican Party and served as a delegate to three National Republican Conventions, helping to nominate George W. Bush twice and John McCain once.

Noll held her first church organist position at age 12, and was a choir director and church organist at many Lutheran and United Church of Christ (CCC) churches in Berks County. She was the organist and choir director at St. Paul's UCC in Fleetwood for 35 years and also taught voice and piano to students in her home.

As an undergraduate at LVC, Noll was named Miss Athlete and was a member of the Political Science Club, Delta Lambda Sigma, the Girl's Band, and Chorus. She and her husband were avid supporters of the College during their 56 years of marriage. They helped organize alumni reunions and events, and were inducted as lifetime members of the LVC Vickroy Society in 2010 in recognition of their generosity. The family recently established the Jeanne C. Noll Scholarship Fund for Keyboard at LVC. She is survived by her husband, Clair W. Noll '55; son Eric, his wife, Georgiana, and their daughters, Alexandra and Meredith; son

Douglas, his wife, Tamiko, and their son, Wilson; brother, Carl Winter, and his wife, Sharon, and their two children; her sister-in-law, Janice Noll MacDonald '61; brother-in-law, Jack MacDonald '58, and their two children.

Larry L. Ziegler '57 died May 2 in Lancaster at the age of 77. He served in the Pennsylvania National Guard for six years. He began his accounting career at Klein Chocolate Company in Elizabethtown. Ziegler later joined National Bearings Co. in Lancaster, and in 1973 became controller, board member, and secretary of Kunzler & Company in Lancaster. He then became controller of Aggregates Equipment Inc., of Leola, from which he retired in 2012. He was president of the Manheim Lions Club and the recipient of the Melvin Jones Fellowship Award for service in 2006. Ziegler was a member of St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Manheim. He loved trout fishing and was a faithful fan of the St. Louis Cardinals and the Manheim Barons football team. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Mary Ellen Risser Ziegler '58, and a daughter, Amy Ziegler Arndt '85.

Robert Franklin Doster '58 died March 11 in Winter Haven, Fla., at the age of 77. He was a musician, music teacher, conductor, and adjudicator for more than 50 years, most notably at Frederick High School in Frederick, Md.; in Annandale, Va.; at Towson University; and until his passing, at Polk State University. He was predeceased by his wife of more than 50 years, Barbara Geltz Doster '58.

Elizabeth Speicher Glick '58 died March 24 in Reading at the age of 76. She had been an elementary school teacher in Derry Township for many years. She was a member of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church in Lebanon, and served on the Lebanon School District school board and the Good Samaritan Hospital auxiliary board. She also was involved with Lebanon County Voter Registration and the American Cancer Society. Glick is survived by a sister, Barbara Speicher Moyer '64. She was predeceased by her husband, Dr. Darwin G. Glick '58, H'09.

Joe L. Stauffer '58 died June 29 in York at the age of 76. He was an English teacher for the Central York School District for 37 years. Stauffer directed a number of extracurricular activities, including serving as the head varsity football and baseball coach. He was honored by the York-Adams Interscholastic Athletic Association earlier this year with a lifetime achievement award. He also coached the Red Lion Baseball for Boys program in the summer. After retiring, he was employed by Heffner Funeral Homes. He was a member of Red Lion Lodge N. 649 F. & A.M., the York County Agricultural Society, and the Grace Lutheran Church in Red Lion. Stauffer is survived by his son, Dr. Jud Stauffer '82, and a granddaughter, Sara Ann Stauffer '14.

Dr. Joseph A. Verdone '58 died June 12 in North Greece, N.Y., at the age of 76. He was a research chemist at Eastman Kodak for 31 years. He had many interests, including music, fly and ice fishing, gardening, sailing, umpiring his girls' softball games, visiting museums, bowling, the Pittsburgh Steelers, and the Clemente-era Pirates.

Raymond F. Weiss '59 died Jan. 17, 2012, in San Mateo, Calif., at the age of 79. He was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force, with the majority of his service being at Neubiberg Air Base in Germany. He was a self-employed certified public accountant.

'60s

Nolan Eugene Miller '61 died April 7 in Haddon Township, N.J., at the age of 73. Early in his career, he played French horn with the Reading Symphony and was a piano soloist. He also spent more than 40 years with the Philadelphia Orchestra as co-principal and principal French horn player. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Marjorie Peters Miller '61.

Sylvia A. Dillman '62 died April 20 in Lebanon at the age of 72. She was a retired teacher, having taught in the Lebanon School District for 35 years. She was a member of St. John's United Church of Christ in Jonestown. Dillman loved horseback riding, and trained horses for equestrian activities.

Herbert William Acker '63 died March 1 in Churchville, Md., at the age of 70. He served in the U.S. Army in Southeast Asia from 1963 to 1965. He was a retired managing partner of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP. He participated in the International Exchange Program in London and Birmingham in 1970, with professional studies at St. John's College in Oxford; and in the Partners International Program in Hong Kong from 1978 to 1980. Acker was a member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Bel Air, Md. He served as director and chair of the Kennedy Krieger Institute; was a member of the board for the Upper Chesapeake Health System, the Upper Chesapeake Health/University of Maryland Medical System, and Harford Day School; and served as director and chair of the finance committee for the Harford Community College Foundation.

Robert David Reidenbach '66 died March 19 in Clarks Summit at the age of 68. He taught social studies at Abington Heights High School for 37 years, and was awarded the Pennsylvania Teacher of the Year Award in 1973. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Clarks Summit and was an avid outdoorsman and historian.

Mamie Kamara Caulker '67 died Oct. 23, 2012, in Sierra Leone, West Africa, at the age of 68. She taught music at her alma mater, Harford Secondary School in Sierra Leone, for several years before serving as an external examiner at various colleges. She was also in charge of Tertiary Education at Sierra Leone's Ministry of Education. Caulker retired in 2000 but was called to work at the Anti-Corruption Unit from 2000 to 2008. As an undergraduate at LVC, she was a member of the Girls' Band, basketball team, chorus, Kappa Lambda Nu, and Sigma Alpha Iota.

'80s

Victor Elon Anderson '83 died March 31 in Bend, Ore., at the age of 67. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, having served from 1963 to 1977. He was a certified health physicist for the State of California. He assisted in the response to the nuclear accident at Three Mile Island nuclear plant and was a member of an elite team of radiologic health early responders for many years. In the later

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years of his career at the California Department of Health Services, Radiologic Health Branch, he assisted in radiologic disaster preparedness and helped conduct numerous drills across California and Oregon until his retirement in 2010. He was a Judo Sensei and referee.

'90s

Michael E. Joyce '94 died Jan. 31 in Lancaster at the age of 68. He received the Honor Recruit Award from the Naval Training Station in Great Lakes, Mich. He served on the USS WASP (CVS-18) and was on board for the recovery of Gemini 6. As mailroom supervisor at Franklin & Marshall College in Lancaster for almost 20 years, Joyce especially enjoyed the students and his roles in the campus Fum Follies productions. He collected memorabilia and was a certified diesel mechanic. He loved everything Irish and enjoyed mysteries, yard sales, and finding mistakes in movies.

'00s

Justin A. Markel '05 died Feb. 11 in York at the age of 30. He was a buyer for Graham Architecture and previously had worked for GAE FES and Tyco. Markel coached the junior varsity ice hockey team for Central York High School, played for the Lancaster Firebirds, and was a member of the York Jaycees. He enjoyed watching the Philadelphia Flyers and Eagles, the Baltimore Orioles, and Penn State.

Friends of the College

Dr. Alexander "Sandy" Renton Amell died Feb. 26 in Durham, N.H., at the age of 89. He served in the U.S. Army cavalry unit during World War II, then transferred to the U.S. Army Air Corps. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air Medal with three Oak Clusters, and two Presidential Unit Citations. He had served on the faculty at Hunter College in New York City, was an assistant professor of chemistry at LVC from 1952 to 1955, and also was on the faculty at the University of New Hampshire from 1955 until his retirement in 1988, serving as head of the school's chemistry department for 15 years.

Judy Wright Burger died May 15 in Middletown at the age of 66. She was a piano teacher for many years and founded the Kindermusik and children's piano programs for Lebanon Valley College's Community Music Institute. She was a member of Beth El Temple in Harrisburg and B'nai Jacob Synagogue in Middletown. She is survived by a son, H. Ryan Levere '99.

Donald S. Fowler died Feb. 5 in Mt. Gretna at the age of 87. He served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. Fowler attended LVC in 1946–1947 before transferring to the University of New Mexico to earn an engineering degree.

Dr. Edward L. Phillips died June 15 in Lebanon at the age of 76. He was a distinguished educational leader for more than 47 years. After receiving degrees from Geneva and Westminster colleges, Phillips earned his Ph.D. at the University of Pittsburgh. He served in the Pennsylvania Army National Guard beginning in 1960 and retired as 1st Lieutenant in 1968. Phillips began his career in education as a social studies teacher and later became assistant superintendent in the Riverside Beaver County School District, and superintendent of the Iroquois and Cornwall-Lebanon school districts. From 1992 to 2006, he was the executive director of the Berks Business Education Coalition.

Phillips was a lifelong community volunteer. Most recently, he was a cardiac patient volunteer at the Good Samaritan Hospital, the financial secretary of the Mt. Gretna Fire Company, and a deacon at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church. He enjoyed travelling, playing bridge, and reading. Phillips remained a sports enthusiast and was the recent winner of the Senior Golf Handicap Championships at the Lebanon Country Club. He is survived by his wife, Dr. Lynn Garrett Phillips '68, a member of the College's Board of Trustees.

John E. Wengert died Feb. 26 in Lebanon at the age of 79. He served as an ensign in the U.S. Navy. His father founded Wengert's Dairy, where he was employed as plant manager and president. Wengert served as treasurer and acting president of the Lebanon YMCA board, president and campaign chair of the United Way of Lebanon County, board member of Lebanon Valley Farmer's Bank, president of the Lebanon Rotary Club, president of the Pennsylvania Association of Milk Dealers, president of the Lebanon Valley Conservancy, and advisor to the Lebanon Valley Rails to Trails. He enjoyed traveling and shopping for antiques. Wengert is survived by a brother, Harlan R. Wengert, and sister-in-law, Joan Gilbert Wengert '53.

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